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I Know of a Valley

I know of a valley,
No fairer could be,
Where ribbon of river
Leaps down to the sea;
I love the green meadows
Beneath the high hills,
The forests and flowers,
The lakes and the rills;
Oh, Genesee homeland,
My memory thrills.

I know of a city,
That lies in the vale,
Our sires have builded,
That we might not fail;
They left us their labors,
They played a good part,
Their city is sacred
In council and mart;
Oh, Rochester homeland,
I pledge thee my heart!

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Introduction

Introduction

The Rochester Historical Society seeks the expansion of local consciousness into a fuller sense of the historic worth and dignity of our community. As heirs of the past, we cannot appreciate our inheritance without studying its origin. Every man and woman living in Rochester is affected by the past history of the city and, in turn, exerts some influence on its present and future history.

You cannot escape from receiving and passing on this influence if you would. Your life is an integral part of the history of Rochester.

We live between two eternities in constant relation to the whole future and the whole past. Our future awaits, unseen, definitely shaped by the events of our past and present history. The part you play will alter the general result.

The soul of Rochester is the aggregate of all its individual lives present and past. Our local history is the essence of innumerable biographies.

History lies at the root of all science and is the first distinct product of man's spiritual nature, his earliest expression of thought. It is the power of looking before and after. All men are historians. As we do nothing but enact history we say little but to recite it. Our speech is curiously historical. We speak only to narrate, imparting not so much what we have thought as what we have undergone or seen.

Carlyle asks: "Is not every memory written quite full with Annals, wherein joy and mourning, conquest and loss manifoldly alternate?"

History, like Charity, should begin at home. The best American citizens are those who are interested in their own local civic affairs. A study of the community in which one dwells will serve to connect that community with the life of the State, the Nation and the world at large.

A multitude of historical associations gather

around the valley of the Genesee. There are Indian legends and traditions, household tales, stories told by grandfathers and grandmothers, incidents remembered by the oldest inhabitants; above all, old books, documents and manuscripts, records of the first settlers, pioneers and founders.

The object of The Rochester Historical Society is to preserve a record of these things; to keep the past vividly alive in its relation to the present and the future. Remembering that the whole of our past was once present thought, feeling and action, we seek to excite keen and sympathetic appreciation of the hopes and dreams and struggles of the noble men and women who have gone before and who have left us a goodly heritage.

To that end, as corporate trustees, we collect and preserve relics, books, pictures and documents relating to the people of Rochester and the Genesee country. All are asked to make some contribution to this worthy work.

The Rochester Historical Society represents the best citizenship of our community. No other society or agency in Rochester is incorporated for the same purposes or fills this historical field. Your support is particularly desired in order that the Society may grow to full usefulness in the service of our beloved city.

If you are a member of the Society, show your loyalty by inducing some friend or acquaintance to join. Our possible sustaining membership should be limited only by the number of citizens who love Rochester.

Rochester, a city of the first class, should have an active Historical Society second to none in the country.

The splendid past of Rochester remains our inspiration for vital deeds the present hour.

Let us highly resolve to be worthy of the founders. It lies with us to make their dreams come true. It is for the living to bring things to pass.

The Rochester Historical Society can become

a chief agency to crystallize into reality the visions of yesteryears, and so serve the highest good of our beloved city today.

EDWARD R. FOREMAN.

Rochester, October 10, 1916.

Officers and Managers 1916

Officers and Managers, 1916

Honorary President - Mrs. Caroline E. Perkins

President - - - - Edward R. Foreman

Vice-President - - - Harvey F. Remington

Treasurer - - - - Raymond G. Dann

Recording Secretary - William F. Yust

Corresponding Sec'y - J. Vincent Alexander

Board of Managers—the officers and Alvin H. Dewey, William J. Simpson, W. Herbert Wall, Charles H. Wiltsie.

Note:—Section 5 of the Constitution declares: "There shall be a Board of Managers which shall consist of the President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer, together with four other members to be appointed annually by the President. The duties of the Board shall be to conduct the business affairs of the Society."

Articles of Incorporation

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In the minutes of the first meeting of The Rochester Historical Society, March 3, 1888, appears the following entry (Minutes, Vol. I., page 3, in handwriting of Wm. F. Peck, Secretary): "A resolution was adopted that the Secretary take steps to have the Society incorporated, and that the board of managers, when appointed, be the incorporators."

The minutes of a subsequent meeting, November 30, 1888, record the following (Minutes, Vol. I., p. 24): "Reports of officers being called for, the recording secretary reported that, in accordance with a resolution of the Society adopted March 3, 1888, he had, with the kind assistance of Mr. Cooke, prepared articles of incorporation of the Society and had filed a copy in the office of the clerk of Monroe County and a copy in the office of the Secretary of State at Albany, and that he had received from the Secretary of State a Certificate of incorporation, which he thereupon turned over to the Librarian." "On motion the report was accepted."

On file in the Monroe County Clerk's office appears the original certificate of incorporation of The Rochester Historical Society, which is kept in document box number 28. The said original certificate is endorsed on the outside as follows:

(Front)

State of New York
Certificate
of the
Incorporation
of
The Rochester Historical
Society
I hereby approve of the
within certificate and
consent to the filing of
the same.
W. H. Adams,
Justice Sup. Court.

(Back)

Monroe County, SS.
Recorded on the 29th day of June, A.D., 1888, at 11:25 o'clock A. M. in Liber 2 of Incorporations at page 396, and examined.

Maurice Leyden,
Clerk.

Filed June 29, 1888,
M. M.

The contents of the said certificate appear below:

Certificate of Incorporation of The Rochester Historical Society

State of New York, } ss.
County of Monroe, }

We, Henry E. Rochester, Mortimer F. Reynolds, Hiram Sibley, George E. Mumford, James L. Angle, Frederick A. Whittlesey and William C. Morey—all being citizens of the State of New York—desiring to form ourselves into a Society for historical, literary and library purposes, pursuant to an Act, passed by the Legislature of the State of New York, in 1875, entitled: "An Act for the Incorporation of Societies or Clubs for certain lawful purposes," and the acts amending said act—do hereby certify:

That the corporate name of the said Society is: "The Rochester Historical Society."

That the object for which said society is formed are: to obtain and preserve all relics and documents relating to the early history of the City of Rochester and the adjacent country, to secure the composition and reading of papers relating to the same and preservation thereof, and to promote interest in the early history of Rochester.

That the number of trustees or managers is seven.

That the names of the trustees or managers for the first year of the existence of the Society are: Henry E. Rochester, Mortimer F. Reynolds, Hiram Sibley, George E. Mumford, James L. Angle, Frederick A. Whittlesey and William C. Morey.

Dated June 1, 1888.

Henry E. Rochester
M. F. Reynolds
Hiram Sibley
G. E. Mumford
James L. Angle
Fred A. Whittlesey
Wm. C. Morey

State of New York,
County of Monroe, } ss.
City of Rochester,

Before me, the subscriber, a Commissioner of Deeds, in and for the City of Rochester, personally appeared Henry E. Rochester, on the 14th day of June, 1888; Mortimer F. Reynolds, on the 14th day of June, 1888; Hiram Sibley, on the 14th day of June, 1888; George E. Mumford, on the 14th day of June, 1888; James L. Angle, on the 19th day of June, 1888; Frederick A. Whittlesey, on the 21st day of June, 1888; and William C. Morey, on the 14th day of June, 1888; to me known, and known to me to be the same persons described in and who executed the written certificate and they severally before me signed the said certificate and severally acknowledged that they executed the same.

Wm. F. Peck,
Commissioner of Deeds.

Beginnings of The Rochester Historical Society

Beginnings of the Society

How our Society came into being is a matter of great interest in local history.

In 1887, commenting on the success of such a Society in another city, a friend said to Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins, "Why don't you organize an Historical Society in Rochester?"

With determination came the response, *"I will."*

That gracious fiat fixed the fact of our existence.

Upon her summons a number of leading citizens gathered to discuss the proposition. Dr. Edward Mott Moore, Sr., already had been consulted and approved the general plan.

What transpired can best be told by quoting the official record appearing in our minutes in the handwriting of Mr. William F. Peck, who was the recording secretary of the Society for twenty years:

Transcript of Minutes

"A preliminary meeting was held at the residence of Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins, 219 East Avenue, December 17, 1887.

"The meeting was called to order by Frederick A. Whittlesey, who nominated Dr. Edward M. Moore as chairman of the meeting. Dr. Moore was elected, and M. W. Cooke was elected secretary of the meeting.

"Mr. Whittlesey, at the request of the hostess, stated the object of the meeting and offered the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the formation of an Historical Society in Rochester is desirable.

"The resolution, having been seconded, was generally discussed and unanimously adopted. Those present, all voting, were Dr. E. M. Moore, Henry E. Rochester, Hiram Sibley, Dr. A. C. Kendrick, Judge James L. Angle, Prof. S. A. Lattimore, T. C. Montgomery, George T. Parker, Mrs. George T. Parker, Dr. A. H. Strong, Robert Mathews, F. A. Whittlesey, Prof. W. C. Morey, H. F. Atkinson, Gilman H. Perkins, Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins, and M. W. Cooke.

"Dr. Strong moved that a committee be appointed to report upon the organization of the Historical Society. Carried.

"The following were appointed as such committee: Dr. Moore, Dr. Strong, Mr. Whittlesey, Professor Morey, and Mr. Cooke.

"The meeting then adjourned, subject to the call of the committee above named.

"Martin W. Cooke,
"Secretary of the Meeting.

"Meeting of the committee—all present.

"Voted, That Professor Morey and Mr. Whittlesey be a sub-committee on constitution.

"Voted, That Dr. Moore, Dr. Strong and Mr. Cooke be a sub-committee on membership.

"Adjourned, subject to the call of the chairman, Dr. Moore.

"Martin W. Cooke,
"Secretary of the Meeting.

"March 3, 1888. Meeting, at the residence of Mrs. Perkins, of persons proposing to join an Historical Society—Dr. E. M. Moore, presiding.

"Present: Dr. E. M. Moore, F. A. Whittlesey, Judge F. A. Macomber, Mrs. F. A. Macomber, Charles E. Fitch, Mrs. Wm. S. Little, Alfred Ely, Mrs. Alfred Ely, Prof. S. A. Lattimore, Mrs. S. A. Lattimore, Dr. A. H. Strong, Prof. J. H. Gilmore, Mrs. Isaac Hills, Miss Angeline S. Mumford, Prof. W. C. Morey, Robert Mathews, Mrs. Annie Bullions, George T. Parker, Mrs. George T. (Jane Marsh) Parker, Dr. E. V. Stoddard, Mrs. E. V. Stoddard, F. L. Durand, Mrs. William H. Perkins, Prof. A. H. Mixer, Henry E. Rochester, Miss Jane Rochester, John H. Rochester, Mrs. George C. Buell, Mrs. E. Darwin Smith, Mrs. Edward M. Smith, Judge James L. Angle, T. C. Montgomery, Gilman H. Perkins, Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins, Wm. F. Peck, and M. W. Cooke."

By resolution all present at the preliminary meeting, December 17, 1887, and the organization meeting, March 3, 1888, were declared to be "constituent members of the Historical Society about to be organized." A constitution was then adopted and the following named persons were elected as officers: President, Dr. Edward Mott Moore, Sr.; Vice-President, Rev. Augustus H. Strong, D.D.; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker; Recording Secretary, William F. Peck; Treasurer, Gilman H. Perkins; Librarian, Herman K.

Phinney. The following were appointed by the President as the first Board of Managers: Henry E. Rochester, Mortimer F. Reynolds, Hiram Sibley, George E. Mumford, Judge James L. Angle, Frederick A. Whittlesey, and Prof. William C. Morey."

For over four years after organization all the meetings of the Society were held at the home of Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins. At last the membership became so large it was necessary to meet in a public hall.

With the passing of those delightful early days the Society continued to hold public meetings at which papers were read on subjects connected with local history.*

The library and museum grew from humble beginnings to valuable collections.

The great seal of the Society recently adopted is significant. It discovers a figure shooting an arrow upward, encircled by the legend, "The Rochester Historical Society."

From the drawn bow of our auspicious beginnings we receive the upward impulse.

*Note:—See list of "Papers Read Before The Rochester Historical Society," this book pp. 39-49.

An Address to the Public

An Address to the Public

The first Board of Managers prepared and issued an address to the public, which is here reprinted on account of its present-day value:

To the Public:

An association has been recently formed under the corporate name of The Rochester Historical Society, for the purpose of discovering, procuring and preserving whatever may relate to the natural, civil, literary, political and ecclesiastical history of Western New York, and more particularly of the County of Monroe and the City of Rochester. The officers of this Association take this method of soliciting the aid of all citizens, whether residents of this city or county, in promotion of these objects of the Society.

It is well known that many valuable manuscripts and papers relating to the history of this part of our State remain in the possession of those who, however unwilling to entrust them to a single person, would yet cheerfully confide them to a public institution in whose custody they would be preserved for the general benefit. To rescue from the dust and obscurity of private repositories such important documents as are liable to be lost or destroyed by the indifference or neglect of those into whose possession they may have fallen will be a primary object of attention of this Society. The cause of truth is, or should be, interesting to all, and those who possess the means, however apparently insignificant, of preventing error or of elucidating and establishing facts now obscure, will confer a benefit on the community by communicating them (in the manner indicated) to the world.

It will be the business of the Society to diffuse the information it may collect by the establishment of a museum of local history, by the preparation and publication of papers upon matters of local concern, and by such other means as may conduce to general instruction. That this object may be effectively attained the Society requests that all who feel disposed to encourage the design will, at their earliest convenience, transmit to its care manuscripts, records, books and pamphlets relative to the history of this region and particularly to the following points of inquiry:

Orations, sermons, essays and poems delivered on any public occasion; proceedings of any ecclesi-

astical convention of any Christian denomination held in this vicinity; narratives of missionaries sent to this region; transactions and proceedings of local political, literary and scientific societies; catalogues and circulars of the University, academies and schools; topographical descriptions, directories and maps of cities, towns and villages of Western New York; magazines and other periodicals, particularly such as appeared prior to 1850; biographical memoirs of any of the earlier settlers; original essays on the natural, civil, literary or ecclesiastical history of Western New York.

The Society solicits the aid of citizens in the promotion of its ends, not alone by the donations above indicated, but by the enrollment of their names as members of the organization, for which purpose application may be made to any of the undersigned Board of Managers.

H. E. Rochester,
M. F. Reynolds,
Hiram Sibley,
George E. Mumford,
James L. Angle,
F. A. Whittlesey,
W. C. Morey,
Managers.
William F. Peck,
Secretary.

Rochester, April 6, 1888.

Papers Read Before The Rochester Historical Society

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888—April 6. First paper at Mrs. Perkins, by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker, on John Galt's novel, "Laurie Todd," (1828), the scene of which was laid in part in the village of Rochester and other localities in the Genesee Valley.

888—June 14. "The Opening of the Genesee Country," by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

888—June 14. "Memorial, of Gen. A. W. Riley," by H. E. Rochester.

888—November 30. "Early Days in Rochester; Riparian Rights Along the Genesee River," by Henry E. Rochester.

888—November 30. "Mary Jemison, the White Woman of the Genesee," by Jane Marsh Parker.

889—January 4. "Three Episodes in the History of the Genesee Valley," by George Moss.

889—January 4. "The One-Hundred-Acre Tract," written by Henry E. Rochester; read by Miss Jennie Rochester.

889—February 1. "History and Description of the Genesee River and Western New York," by Henry E. Rochester.

889—April 5. "The Phelps and Gorham Purchase with Special Reference to the City of Rochester," by Howard L. Osgood.

889—April 5. "The Union League (March, 1863)," by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

889—May 3. "Rochester in Ancient History," by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

889—June 13. "Memorial, of Henry E. Rochester," by Judge James L. Angle.

889—June 13. "Memorial, Poetical Tribute, to Henry E. Rochester," by Mrs. C. M. Curtis.

889—June 13. "The Aboriginal History of the Genesee Country and Its Terminology," by Mr. George H. Harris.

1889—June 13. "The Work Accomplished b Other Historical Societies in the Unite States," by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

1889—November 9. "Pioneers of the Genese Valley—the Markhams," by Mr. George H Harris.

1889—November 9. "The Artist Spy," written b Mr. George H. Ely; read by Mrs. Seth H Terry.

1889—November 9. "Colonial Laws of 1664," b Judge James L. Angle.

1889—December 13. Poem, "Gleanings," (on th progress of the ctiy), by Mrs. Katherine Dowling.

1889—December 13. "Biographical Sketch of th late Henry E. Peck, Minister to Hayti," b Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

1890—January 10. "Reminiscences of Rocheste from 1817 to 1830," by Dr. F. DeW. Ward Geneseo, N. Y. Supplemental Reminiscences by Dr. Augustus H. Strong.

1890—February 14. "The Public Schools of Roch ester," by S. A. Ellis.

1890—March 14. "Biographical Sketch of the Lat Dr. Chester Dewey," by Mrs. C. M. Curtis.

1890—March 14. "Music in Rochester," by Mr Herve D. Wilkins.

1890—April 7. "The Antiquities of Mt. Hope," by Judge James L. Angle.

1890—April 7. Mrs. Gerard Arink recited a poem prepared by Elihu Spencer at the time of the dedication of Mt. Hope.

1890—April 7. "The Last Indian Sacrifice," writ ten by the late Seth H. Terry; read by Mrs Seth H. Terry.

1890—May 9. "Transportation in the Early Days of Western New York," by Mr. George Moss

1890—June 13. "Memorial, of Mrs. M. B. Ander son," by Mrs. Emil Kuichling.

1890—November 14. "Rochester's First Things," by Dr. F. DeW. Ward.

1890—December 12. "The Story of the Massacre at Cherry Valley," by Mrs. William S. Little

1891—January 9. "The Hundred-Acre Tract," by Mr. Howard L. Osgood.

1891—February 13. "Interviewing a Statesman," (Henry Clay), by Charles E. Fitch.

1891—February 13. "Early Experiences in Western New York; and Indian Traditions of Bear Hill, Near Canandaigua," by Judge T. M. Howell.

1891—March 13. "Reminiscences of Mrs. Hiram Blanchard," by Mr. Charles H. Wiltsie.

1891—March 13. "Recollections of Early Rochester," by Col. Josiah W. Bissell.

1891—March 13. "Facts as to the Daily American and Leonard W. Jerome," by William F. Peck.

1891—April 10. "The Geology of the Region of the Genesee River," by Prof. Herman LeRoy Fairchild.

1891—April 10. "Early Reminiscences," written by Col. J. W. Bissell, and read by Charles E. Fitch.

1891—May 8. "Memorial, of Judge James L. Angle," by Dr. Augustus H. Strong.

1891—May 8. "Report as to Enos Stone's House, the First Frame Building in Rochester," by Clinton Rogers.

1891—November 13. "The Story of the Rochester Parks," by Dr. Edward Mott Moore, Sr.

1891—December 11. "Old East Avenue," by George H. Humphrey.

1891—December 11. "Reminiscences of Mrs. Eliza M. Reid, the Widow of Dr. W. W. Reid," by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

1892—January 8. "The Magic of a Voice," (on the subject of the Finney revivals), by Mr. Harold Pomeroy Brewster.

1892—February 12. "Rochester in the Forties," by Dr. Porter Farley.

1892—March 11. "Memorial, of Mrs. C. M. Curtis," by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

1892—March 11. "Edwin Scrantom," prepared by Mrs. Bertha Scrantom Pool and read by Charles E. Fitch; also a poem by same author entitled, "The Old Log Cabin to Powers Block."

1892—March 11. "Henry Clay's First Visit to Rochester in 1836," by Ira L. Otis.

1892—March 11. "Early Reminiscences of Rochester," prepared by Mrs. Mary B. Allen King (93 years old), and read by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

1892—April 8. "Corn Hill, in the Old Third Ward," prepared by George H. Harris and read by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

1892—April 8. "The Flood of 1865," prepared by Mrs. Melissa M. Farrar; read by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

1892—May 13. "The Struggle for Monroe County," by Howard L. Osgood.

1892—November 11. "Gov. Blacksnake," by James G. Johnson, of Salamanca.

1892—November 11. "The Early Bar of Rochester," including a sketch of the life of his father, Judge Harvey Humphrey, by George H. Humphrey.

1892—December 9. "The Jesuit Relations," by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

1892—December 9. "Reminiscences of Miss Araminta Doolittle and the Rochester Female Academy," by Mrs. Alice Hopkins.

1893—January 13. "The Old Steamboat Hotel," by Pomeroy P. Dickinson.

1893—January 13. "A Letter of Reminiscences," written by Mrs. Mariette McCracken Langworthy; read by President Charles E. Fitch.

1893—February 10. "A Princely and Unknown Exile in America," by Henry C. Maine.

1893—March 10. "Niagara—Its Poets," by Frank H. Severance, of Buffalo.

1893—March 10. "Behind the Scenes," (relating to the Historical Entertainment given for the benefit of the Society) by Mrs. Sarah Gay Galusha.

1893—April 20. "Reminiscences of the Early Settlement of Riga, Monroe County," by Mrs. Horace Gay.

1893—April 20. Annual Address by President Charles E. Fitch.

1893—May 12. "The Early Days of Brockport," by Mrs. Mary J. Holmes.

1893—May 12. "Rochester's First Board of Trade," by Erastus Darrow.

1893—November 10. "Red Jacket," by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

1893—November 10. "Sketch of George H. Harris," prepared by Howard L. Osgood; read by President Charles E. Fitch.

1893—December 8. "The Early History of Sodus," by Prof. L. H. Clark, of Sodus.

1893—December 8. "Reminiscences of Rochester From 1820 to 1830," by Jesse W. Hatch.

1894—January 12. "Climatology of Western New York," by Arthur L. White.

1894—February 9. "The Clover Street Seminary," by Joseph B. Bloss.

1894—March 9. "Amusements in Early Rochester," by George M. Elwood.

1894—April 13. "Rochester, Its Founders and Its Founding," by Howard L. Osgood.

1894—April 13. "Elisha Johnson," prepared by William F. Peck; read by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker.

1894—May 18. "A Vision of Seventy Years," by William W. Mumford.

1894—November 9. "The Old-Time Shoemaker and Shoemaking," by Jesse W. Hatch.

1894—January 11. "The Sons of the American Revolution," by Edward G. Miner, Jr.

1895—January 11. "The Daughters of the American Revolution," by Mrs. R. A. Sibley.

1895—January 11. "The Colonial Dames," by Mrs. E. B. Angell.

1895—March 8. "The Twenty-Thousand-Acre Tract and Gideon King," by Moses B. King.

1895—April 19. "The Old Third Ward," by Charles F. Pond.

1895—April 19. "Bull's Head," prepared by George W. Fisher; read by Miss Jane E. Rochester.

1895—April 19. "Memorial, of Miss Elizabeth P Hall," prepared by James H. Kelly; read by Charles H. Wiltsie.

1895—May 24. "The Caneadea Reservation and Some Upper Genesee Indians," by John S Minard, of Fillmore.

1895—November 8. "Mary Jemison," prepared by F. VanDorn, of Mt. Morris; read by Howard L. Osgood.

1895—November 8. "Architecture of Rochester New and Old," by Frederick W. Warner.

1896—January 10. "Notes on Seneca Indians, and on John Grieg and Others," by Mrs. William Chappell.

1896—January 10. "A Panorama of Early Days in Rochester," prepared by Mrs. E. J. Varney; read by Miss Anderson.

1896—January 10. "Reasons of the British Failure to Deliver Up the Frontier Forts Till 1796," by Howard L. Osgood.

1896—March 13. "Augustus Porter, a Pioneer of Western New York," by Charles M. Robinson.

1896—May 8. "The Rochester Orphan Asylum," by Mrs. William Chappell.

1896—May 8. "Extracts from the Diary of Mr. Langslow, 1817," read by Howard L. Osgood.

1896—May 8. "Biography of Capt. Basil Hall, and His Visit to Rochester, 1827," by President George M. Elwood.

1896—November 13. "Local Antiquarian Researches," by Samuel P. Moulthrop.

1897—January 8. "The Ice Age in Monroe County," by Dr. Porter Farley.

1897—March 12. "The Court Houses of Monroe County," prepared by H. W. Conklin; read by Adelbert Cronise.

1897—May 14. "Ga-o-ya-de-o and O-wa-is-ki," by John S. Minard.

1897—November 12. "Western New York in the Colonial Period," by Samuel P. Moulthrop.

1898—January 14. "Sullivan's Campaign," by Simon L. Adler.

1898—January 24. Formal addresses of congratulation and eulogy were offered by Dr. Augustus H. Strong, and Prof. W. C. Morey, and informal remarks by E. R. Andrews, Dr. Porter Farley, and Franklin S. Hanford, in honor of Dr. Edward Mott Moore, the first President of the Society. Address by Dr. Moore describing the changes in Rochester since his advent.

1898—February 11. "Soldiers of the Revolution," by Mrs. William Chappell.

1898—March 14. "The Autobiography of Samuel Miles Hopkins," by Dr. Augustus H. Strong.

1898—May 9. "The One Hundred and Fortieth Regiment in the Battle of the Wilderness," by Dr. Porter Farley.

1898—November 14. "Experiences in the Spanish War as Executive Officer, on Board U. S. Ship Peoria," by William G. David.

1899—January 9. "The Niagara Frontier," by Hon. Peter A. Porter, of Niagara Falls.

1899—March 13. "Early Military Companies of Rochester," by Jesse W. Hatch.

1899—May 8. "Rochester in the Forties," by Geo. E. Slocum, of Scottsville.

1899—November 13. "A Trip Through the Konesaghs (Conesus) Country," by Samuel P. Moulthrop.

1900—January 8. "Money and Money Units in the American Colonies," by Simon L. Adler.

1900—March 12. "Reminiscences of Enos Stone," by William Talmadge Stone.

1900—May 14. "The British Evacuation of the United States," by Howard L. Osgood.

1900—November 12. "Montresor on the Niagara," by Frank H. Severance.

1901—January 14. "Goat Island," by Hon. Peter A. Porter, of Niagara Falls.

1901—March 11. "Recollections of Andersonville Prison," by Dr. Rob Roy Converse.

1901—May 13. "A King of France in Central New York," by Adelbert Cronise.

1901—November 11. "Who Discovered the Genesee River?" "Correspondence of Col. Rochester," and "Indian Allan," by Howard L. Osgood.

1902—January 13. "Old Colonial China," by Mrs. Frederick W. Yates.

1902—March 10. "Memorial, of Dr. Edward Mott Moore, Sr.," by William F. Peck.

1902—March 10. "Old Carthage," by Mrs. Horace B. Hooker.

1902—May 12. "Proposed Division of Indian Lands on the Cattaraugus Reservation," by Hon. John Van Voorhis.

1903—March 9. "The Early Police of Rochester," by William F. Peck.

1903—May 11. "The Deaf Mute Institute," by Prof. Zenas F. Westervelt.

1904—January 11. "The Female Charitable Society," by Mrs. Oscar Craig.

1904—March 14. "Robert Morris," by George Chandler Bragdon.

1904—May 9. "John Jay, Patriot, Jurist and Statesman," by George Alfred Stringer, of Buffalo.

1904—November 14. "Early Settlers by the Falls of the Genesee," by Mrs. Katherine J. Dowling.

1904—November 14. "The Genesee," a poem read by John G. Allen.

1905—January 9. "Sanitary Control of the City's Water Supply," by Prof. C. W. Dodge.

1905—January 9. "The Genesee Valley in the Navy," by Rear-Admiral Franklin S. Hanford.

1905—March 13. "Rambles About Rochester," by Nathaniel S. Olds.

1905—May 8. "Sullivan's Campaign," by William Elliot Griffis.

1905—November 13. "The Patriotism of Western New York," by Hon. Peter A. Porter, of Niagara Falls.

1905—December 11. "Sir William Johnson," by Hon. Hugh Hastings, State Historian.

1906—February 12. "Totiakton, the Metropolis of the Senecas," by Nathaniel S. Olds.

1906—May 10. "Memorial, of George May Elwood," by William F. Peck.

1906—May 7. "The First Presbyterian Church of Rochester," by the Rev. George D. Miller, D.D.

1907—January 29. Recitations of humorous stories in the negro dialect interspersed with songs, by Miss Finch.

1907—March 4. "Difficulties Attending the Organization of Monroe County," by Willis K. Gillette.

1907—April 16. Recitation of "Hiawatha," by Miss Mabel Powers.

1907—May 27—"Chateaubriand and the Genesee Valley," by Frank H. Severance, of Buffalo.

1907—November 11. "The Courts and Bar of Monroe County," by John H. Hopkins.

1908—January 14. "Development of Civic Beauty," by Charles M. Robinson.

1908—March 6. "Indian Folk-Lore, Oratory and Romance of the Genesee Country," reading by Miss Mabel Powers.

1908—December 1. "France in the Revolutionary War," by the Hon. James Breck Perkins.

1909—January 5. "Historical Sketch of Music in Rochester," by Richard H. Lansing.

1909—March 2. "Memorial, of William F. Peck," by William H. Samson.

1909—March 2. "The Repeal of the Stamp Act," by Prof. Ernest R. Clarke.

1912—September 13. "The Rochester Historical Society." Addresses by Henry W. Morgan, Frank H. Severance, Doctor Rush Rhees and William F. Yust, upon the occasion of the formal opening of the Society's Museum at Exposition Park.

1913—March 27. "Memorial, of Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker," by Edward R. Foreman.

1914—January 19. "Indian Life and Customs in the Great Northwest." Lantern Talk by Fred R. Meyer.

1914—April 27. "History of Music in Rochester," by Richard H. Lansing.

1914—June 25. Rev. Paul Moore Strayer, Elmer Adler and Prof. Charles D. Vail gave addresses on the subject of "Mary Jemison."

1914—November 27. "The Larger Meaning of the War," by Prof. Franklin H. Giddings, of Columbia University.

1914—December 15. "Rochester's Geological History," by Prof. Herman Leroy Fairchild.

1915—January 19. "Reminiscences of Persons and Places in Early Rochester," by Charles F. Pond.

1915—February 22. "A Gentleman in Politics," (Washington), by President Rush Rhees of the University of Rochester.

1915—March 22. "Reminiscences of John Sylvester Wilson from May 1822," read by Frederick M. Whitney, Mr. Wilson being present in person, one hundred years of age, March 20, 1915.

1915—June 7. "Colonial Architecture in the Genesee Valley," by Claude Bragdon.

1915—November 29. "A Sketch of the Life of Lewis Henry Morgan, with Personal Reminiscences," by Dr. Charles A. Dewey.

1915—November 29. "Lewis Henry Morgan, Scientist, Philosopher, Humanist," by Dr. Algernon Sidney Crapsey.

1915—December 27. "Reminiscences of Early Rochester, by Rev. Augustus Hopkins Strong, D.D.

1916—March 27. "Annual Address," by President Edward R. Foreman.

1916—March 27. "The Municipal Museum and The Rochester Historical Society," by Curator Edward D. Putnam.

1916—April 28. "Rochester's Contribution to the Twentieth Century," by Prof. Laurence Bradford Packard.

1916—May 26. "Rochester's Public Schools," by Miss Katherine E. Coombs.

1916—May 26. "The Rochester City Club," by Clarence T. Leighton.

Note as to Published Papers:—Volume I. of the Publications of The Rochester Historical Society (1892) contains the following printed papers:

"Notes on the Aboriginal Terminology of the Genesee Country," by George H. Harris, read before the Society, June 13, 1889.

"History of the Title of the Phelps and Gorham Purchase," by Howard L. Osgood, read before the Society, April 5, 1889.

"Three Episodes in the History of the Genesee Valley," by George Moss, read before the Society, January 4, 1889.

"The Opening of the Genesee Country," by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker, read before the Society, June 14, 1888.

"The Genesee River and Western New York," by Henry E. Rochester, read before the Society, February 1, 1889.

"History of the Public Schools of the City of Rochester," by S. A. Ellis, read before the Society, February 14, 1890.

"Music in Rochester," by Herve D. Wilkins, read before the Society, March 14, 1890.

Volume II. of the Publications of The Rochester Historical Society (1898) contains the following paper: "Sketch of the Public and Private Life of Samuel Miles Hopkins, of Salem, Connecticut," written by himself, and commented upon by Reverend Augustus Hopkins Strong, D.D.; read before the Society, March 14, 1898.

The following papers have been issued separately: "Amusements in Early Rochester," by George M. Elwood, read before the Society, March 9, 1894; "Sullivan's Campaign in Western New York, 1779," by Simon L. Adler, read before the Society, January 14, 1898; "Reminiscences of Early Rochester," by Rev. Augustus Hopkins Strong, D.D., read before the Society, December 27, 1915; published July, 1916; "A Reminiscence of Anti-Slavery Days," by Horace McGuire; read before the Society, October, 1916.

Note as to Published Memorials:—Volume I. of the Publications of The Rochester Historical Society (1892) contains the following Memorial Sketches: "Henry E. Rochester," by Jane E. Rochester; "Henry O'Reilly," by Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker; "Dr. Chester Dewey," by C. M. Curtis; "Gen. A. W. Riley," by a Committee, Henry E. Rochester, Frederick A. Whittlesey, and Charles E. Fitch; "Henry E. Peck," by Charles E. Fitch; "Hiram Sibley," by Charles E. Fitch; "Judge James Lansing Angle," by William F. Peck.

PAPER BY ELMER ADLER

Note:—In 1912, when Rochester was celebrating its one hundredth birthday, Mr. Elmer Adler prepared a valuable paper on "The Rochester Historical Society," which was not read before the Society but was published in the September (1912) issue of the monthly, "The Common Good." Extra copies of this publication are now on file in the library of the Society, available on request. We quote the closing paragraphs of this article:

"There is only space to mention a few of the more valuable possessions of the Society. These include over a hundred large paintings, mostly portraits of early citizens, the larger number of which are the work of Gilbert, a local artist of the last century's second quarter, who well deserves his fame. The library proper has over four thousand volumes of a purely historical and genealogical character, and in addition there are several thousand letters, maps, documents, autographs, etc., all of inestimable worth. Of course only a small number of these can be displayed at one time, but the Society will be glad to assist in any educational work by exhibiting such as may be requested. The collection of Indian relics will fill several cabinets, and as the equipment is increased, collections of coins, Colonial garments, etc., will be displayed. There are also a large number of pieces of historic furniture and some valuable loan collections of china, pottery, basketry, etc.

"Earnestly do we urge on every citizen to acquaint himself with the history of his community. Surely one can better assist in planning for future progress with a knowledge of the beginning and of the gradual development. Help to create civic pride and public spirit among the rising generation. A man interested becomes a man informed. He has made the first steps towards intelligent citizenship. Any organization which makes for this advancement must deserve and should receive every encouragement and assistance.

"While Rochester is an excellent field for historical research and the source of considerable material, unfortunately the community has not been alive to an appreciation of this. Almost every city of any size, and a number of small ones, have buildings devoted exclusively to their Historical Societies. Buffalo, Syracuse, Canandaigua, Geneva, Batavia, all have buildings and active organizations. The Rochester Historical Society has no building of its own, but it is hoped that the value of the Society and its work, which it is confidently expected will be demonstrated in its new temporary quarters, will soon be found worthy of a permanent and suitable home."

Constitution and By-Laws

Constitution and By-Laws of The Rochester Historical Society

1. This Society shall be called "The Rochester Historical Society."

2. The object of the Society shall be to obtain and preserve all relics and documents relating to the early history of the city of Rochester and the adjacent country, to secure the composition and reading of papers relating to the same, and preservation thereof, and to promote interest in the early history of Rochester.

3. Active members shall reside within the country of Monroe, New York.

Persons who have conspicuously served the Society or who have otherwise done important historical work may be elected honorary members.

Corresponding members may be elected from non-residents of the county of Monroe who desire to promote the interests of the Society.

Honorary and corresponding members shall not be eligible to office, nor be qualified to vote, nor be entitled to any share in the ownership of property of the Society, nor be liable for any dues or for any debts.

4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary and a Treasurer. These officers shall be elected annually and by ballot by the Society, and shall continue in office until their successors are elected. Vacancies in office may be filled by election at any regular meeting of the Society.

In addition to the officers above named, Mrs. Caroline E. Perkins shall be the Honorary President of The Rochester Historical Society during her lifetime; and as such she shall be at all times, ex-officio, a member of the Board of Managers. (*As amended, June 25, 1914.*)

5. There shall be a Board of Managers which shall consist of the President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer, together with four other members to be appointed annually by the President. The duties of the Board shall be to conduct the business affairs of the Society.

6. The President, Recording Secretary and Treasurer shall constitute the Finance Committee and, as such committee, shall have charge of the finances of said Society. No debts shall be contracted by any officer or member of said Society except upon the recommendation of said committee, nor shall any bill be paid unless it bears the approving signatures of at least two members of said committee, and this committee shall regulate the dues, expenses and disbursements of said Society and may at its discretion compromise arrearages or remit dues of members for just cause.

7. The President shall appoint annually from the members of the Board of Managers, a Library Committee, a Committee on Papers, a Committee on Entertainment and such other standing committees as the needs and interests of the Society may seem to indicate.

8. The Library Committee shall consist of three members, which committee shall have the custody of the library and historical collections, including all books, manuscripts, papers, pictures, documents, relics, coins and maps, and shall have charge of the sale of duplicates, subject to the direction and approval of the Board of Managers. And the said Library Committee shall be empowered to employ a Librarian or other assistants at such compensation as the Board of Managers shall sanction and direct.

It shall be the duty of such Librarian to attend and keep the library and collections of the Society open at such times and seasons as the library committee shall direct, to prepare and keep up a suitable catalogue of the library and other collections, and to keep a record of the donation and purchase of such books, manuscripts, pamphlets,

papers and historical material as may be or become the property of the Society, and to perform such other duties, clerical or otherwise, as the Library Committee may direct. The said Library Committee may, at its discretion and with the approval of the Board of Managers, divide the duties of Librarian, as above defined, and appoint a Curator who shall have charge of the archaeological and historical collections of the Society, other than the library.

9. The Committee on Papers shall consist of three members of the board and shall have charge of soliciting and providing for the reading of papers to be read before the Society.

10. The Committee on Entertainment shall have charge of providing for the matter of the luncheons at the regular meetings of the Society.

11. Active members shall be admitted to the Society only upon the nomination of two or more members of the Society and shall be elected by a majority vote, by ballot, of the members present at any meeting of the Board of Managers.

12. The annual dues of active members shall be two dollars. Any person elected to membership shall make the first payment of said dues within sixty days after notice of his election or, on failure to do so, may be deemed to have declined membership. Members failing to pay annual dues, may, at the discretion of the finance committee, be dropped from the roll of membership.

13. The payment by any active member of the sum of fifty dollars, at one time and for that purpose, shall constitute such person a life member, and such person shall thereafter be exempt from payment of annual dues.

14. The annual meeting for the election of officers shall be held on the second Monday in March in each year. If the election shall not be held on that day, it shall be held at the next regular meeting of the Society, at which the election of officers is moved. Twenty active members

shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business and at meetings of the board of managers a majority of that board shall constitute a quorum.

15. The regular meetings of the Society shall be held on the second Monday in each month from October to May, inclusive; but any of these meetings, except the annual meeting prescribed by the last section, may be omitted by order of the board of managers. Notice of meetings shall be given to the resident members by mail or by publication thereof in at least two of the Rochester daily papers. Any meeting may be adjourned to such time and place as a majority of the members present shall determine.

16. Special meetings of the Society may be called by the President or Recording Secretary at any time and it shall be the duty of the President or Recording Secretary to call a special meeting at any time upon a request, in writing, signed by three or more active members of the Society. Meetings of the Board of Managers may be called at any time by the President, Vice-President or Recording Secretary.

17. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Society and of the Managers, and shall perform the duties usually appertaining to the office of President.

18. The Vice-President shall discharge all the duties of the President in case of the absence or incapacity of the latter.

19. The Recording Secretary shall have the custody of the records and of the seal of the Society. He shall give due notice of each of the meetings and shall keep records of the meetings of the Society and of the Managers.

20. The Corresponding Secretary shall have the custody of all letters and communications to the Society, shall read to the Society all communications received as such Secretary, and under the direction of the Society or of the Managers shall prepare all communications in the name of

the Society and shall keep true copies of the same.

21. The Treasurer shall perform all of the duties usually appertaining to that office; shall deposit the funds of the Society in such bank as the Board of Managers shall designate; shall pay out the funds as the Board of Managers shall direct and shall keep an account of the funds and render an annual statement thereof to the Society and also whenever required by the Board of Managers.

22. The constitution may be amended by a majority vote of the active members present at any regular meeting of the Society, provided that notice of the proposed amendment be given at a previous meeting and that the same shall have been approved by the board of managers prior to such vote.

23. A member may be expelled by a two-thirds vote at any meeting upon the recommendation of the Board of Managers.

24. The order of business at any meeting of the Society shall be as follows, subject to change by a majority vote at such meeting.

1. Reading of minutes of previous meeting and approval of same.
2. Communications from the president, board of managers or officers.
3. Election of officers.
4. Reports of standing or special committees.
5. Unfinished business.
6. Miscellaneous business.
7. Reading of papers.
8. Discussion of papers.

Note:—Constitution first adopted March 3, 1888. By-Laws first adopted April 6, 1888. Both appear in "Vol. I. Publications of The Rochester Historical Society," 1892. Constitution and By-Laws revised and consolidated, May 12, 1893; published, November 1, 1893; again published, as amended, May, 1901. Revision adopted, March 13, 1905; published December, 1905. Consolidated Constitution and By-Laws last amended June 25, 1914, making Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins, Founder, Honorary President for life.

Officers of The Rochester Historical Society

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Elected March 3, 1888

Pres., Edward Mott Moore. Vice-Pres., Augustus Hopkins Strong. Cor. Sec'y, Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., Gilman H. Perkins. Librarian, Herman K. Phinney.

Elected April 5, 1889

Pres., Edward Mott Moore. Vice-Pres., Augustus Hopkins Strong. Cor. Sec'y, Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., Gilman H. Perkins. Librarian, Herman K. Phinney.

Elected April 7, 1890

Pres., Rev. Augustus Hopkins Strong, D.D. Vice-Pres., Judge James Lansing Angle. Cor. Sec'y, Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., Gilman H. Perkins. Librarian, Adelbert Cronise.

Elected April 10, 1891

Pres., Hon. James Lansing Angle. Vice-Pres., Gilman H. Perkins. Cor-Sec'y, Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., Charles H. Wiltsie. Librarian, Howard L. Osgood.

Note:—Judge Angle died May 4, 1891. Gilman H. Perkins declined to serve as Vice-President, and his resignation was accepted May 10, 1891. To fill these vacancies, on May 10, 1891, Rev. Augustus Hopkins Strong, D.D., was elected President, and Charles E. Fitch, Vice-President, for the ensuing year.

Elected April 8, 1892

Pres., Charles E. Fitch. Vice-Pres., William C. Morey. Cor. Sec'y, Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., Charles H. Wiltsie. Librarian, Howard L. Osgood.

Note:—Mr. Osgood resigned as librarian, May 13, 1892, and on November 11, 1892, Miss Jane E. Rochester was elected to take his place.

Elected April 20, 1893

Pres., Charles E. Fitch. Vice-Pres., William C. Morey. Cor. Sec'y, Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., Charles H. Wiltsie. Librarian, Miss Jane E. Rochester.

Elected April 13, 1894

Pres., John H. Rochester. Vice-Pres., Frank W. Elwood. Cor. Sec'y, Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., Charles H. Wiltsie. Librarian, Miss Jane E. Rochester.

Elected April 19, 1895

Pres., John H. Rochester. Vice-Pres., Frank W. Elwood. Cor. Sec'y, Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., Charles H. Wiltsie. Librarian, Miss Jane E. Rochester.

Note:—Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker resigned from the office of Corresponding Secretary, October 10, 1895, and Adelbert Cronise was elected to fill the vacancy, November 8, 1895.

Elected March 13, 1896

Pres., George M. Elwood. Vice-Pres., Howard L. Osgood. Cor. Sec'y, Adelbert Cronise. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., Charles H. Wiltsie. Librarian, Miss Jane E. Rochester.

Elected March 12, 1897

Pres., George M. Elwood. Vice-Pres., Howard L. Osgood. Cor. Sec'y, Adelbert Cronise. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., Charles H. Wiltsie. Librarian, Miss Jane E. Rochester.

Elected March 14, 1898

Pres., Porter Farley. Vice-Pres., Gilman H. Perkins. Cor.Sec'y, Adelbert Cronise. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., George M. Elwood. Librarian, Miss Jane E. Rochester.

Elected March 13, 1899

Pres., Porter Farley. Vice-Pres., Ezra R. Andrews. Cor. Sec'y, Adelbert Cronise. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., George M. Elwood. Librarian, Miss Jane E. Rochester.

Elected May 14, 1900

Pres., Adelbert Cronise. Vice-Pres., E. H. Howard. Cor. Sec'y, Howard L. Osgood. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., George M. Elwood. Librarian, Miss Jane E. Rochester.

Elected May 13, 1901

Pres., Adelbert Cronise. Vice-Pres., E. H. Howard. Cor. Sec'y, Howard L. Osgood. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., George M. Elwood. Librarian, Miss Jane E. Rochester

Elected May 12, 1902

Pres., E. H. Howard. Vice-Pres., Clinton Rogers. Cor. Sec'y, Howard L. Osgood. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., George M. Elwood. Librarian, Miss Jane E. Rochester.

1903

(No Election. Officers of Previous Year Holding Over)

Pres., E. H. Howard. Vice-Pres., Clinton Rogers. Cor. Sec'y, Howard L. Osgood. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., George M. Elwood. Librarian, Miss Jane E. Rochester.

Elected March 14, 1904

Pres., William H. Samson. Vice-Pres., Clinton Rogers. Cor. Sec'y, Howard L. Osgood. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., George M. Elwood. Librarian, Miss Jane E. Rochester.

Elected March 13, 1905

Pres., William H. Samson. Vice-Pres., Clinton Rogers. Cor. Sec'y, Nathaniel S. Olds. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., George M. Elwood

Note:—March 25, 1905, Miss Jean Gilman was appointed Librarian. Miss Gilman resigned, March, 1906, and Miss Grant was appointed to fill the vacancy. March 25, 1905, Nathaniel S. Olds, Corresponding Secretary, volunteered to classify and arrange the exhibits as Curator.

Elected March 12, 1906

Pres., Clinton Rogers. Vice-Pres., Edward G. Miner. Cor. Sec'y, Nathaniel S. Olds. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., George M. Elwood

Note:—May 7, 1906, J. Vincent Alexander was elected Treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of George M. Elwood.

Elected March 4, 1907

Pres., Clinton Rogers. Vice-Pres., Edward G. Miner. Cor. Sec'y, Nathaniel S. Olds. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., J. Vincent Alexander.

Elected March 6, 1908

Pres., Edward G. Miner. Vice-Pres., Richard H. Lansing. Cor. Sec'y, Nathaniel S. Olds. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Peck. Treas., J. Vincent Alexander.

Note:—February 27, 1909, Joseph B. Bloss was elected Recording Secretary to fill the vacancy caused by the death of William F. Peck.

Elected March 2, 1909

Pres., Edward G. Miner. Vice-Pres., Richard H. Lansing. Cor. Sec'y, Nathaniel S. Olds. Rec. Sec'y, Joseph B. Bloss. Treas., J. Vincent Alexander.

Board Continued, 1910

Pres., Edward G. Miner. Vice-Pres., Richard H. Lansing. Cor. Sec'y, Nathaniel S. Olds. Rec. Sec'y, Joseph B. Bloss. Treas., J. Vincent Alexander.

Board Continued, 1911

Pres., Edward G. Miner. Vice-Pres., Richard H. Lansing. Cor. Sec'y, Nathaniel S. Olds. Rec. Sec'y, Joseph B. Bloss. Treas., J. Vincent Alexander.

Board Continued, 1912

Pres., Edward G. Miner. Vice-Pres., Richard H. Lansing. Cor. Sec'y, Nathaniel S. Olds. Rec. Sec'y, Joseph B. Bloss. Treas., J. Vincent Alexander.

Note:—Mrs. Esther Chapin Marsh resigned from the position of Librarian and Custodian, September 1, 1912, and Robert T. Webster was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Note:—Joseph B. Bloss resigned from the office of Recording Secretary, September 23, 1912, and Edward R. Foreman was elected to fill the vacancy.

Elected March 27, 1913

Pres., Charles F. Pond. Vice-Pres., Richard H. Lansing. Cor. Sec'y, None Elected. Rec. Sec'y, Edward R. Foreman. Treas., J. Vincent Alexander.

Elected April 27, 1914

Pres., Edward R. Foreman. Vice-Pres., Harvey F. Remington. Cor. Sec'y, Raymond G. Dann. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Yust. Treas., J. Vincent Alexander.

Note:—June 22, 1914, Edward D. Putnam was appointed Curator and Librarian to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Robert T. Webster.

Special Note:—On June 25, 1914, Mrs. Caroline E. Perkins was elected to be the Honorary President of the Society during her lifetime; and as such to be at all times, ex-officio, a member of the Board of Managers.

Elected March 22, 1915

Pres., Edward R. Foreman. Vice-Pres., Harvey F. Remington. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Yust. Cor. Sec'y, J. Vincent Alexander. Treas., Raymond G. Dann.

Elected March 27, 1916

Pres., Edward R. Foreman. Vice-Pres., Harvey F. Remington. Rec. Sec'y, William F. Yust. Cor. Sec'y, J. Vincent Alexander. Treas., Raymond G. Dann.

Managers of The Rochester Historical Society

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Note:—As originally adopted, the Constitution of The Rochester Historical Society provided for a Board of Managers consisting of seven persons, other than the officers, to be appointed annually by the President, to manage the affairs of the Society. By revision, adopted May 12, 1893, the Board of Managers was declared to be constituted of seven persons, four officers of the Society (President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, and Treasurer)—and three other members of the Society, to be elected annually, by the Society, upon the nomination of the President. By revision, adopted March 13, 1905, the Board of Managers was increased to nine members, five officers (President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, and Treasurer) and four other members of the Society, to be appointed annually by the President.

Under the last provision, the present Board of Managers, (1916), consists of nine members, the five officers, and four appointees of the President.

The Board of Managers as originally constituted was continued until vacancies were created by death or resignation of the members. Subsequent appointments to the Board, as recorded in the Minutes of the Society, appear below, this list including only members other than officers. The names of Officer-Managers can be found in the list of officers.

1888—March 3. The first Board of Managers appointed by President Edward Mott Moore, Sr., was as follows: Henry E. Rochester, Mortimer F. Reynolds, Hiram Sibley, George E. Mumford, James L. Angle, F. A. Whittlesey, W. C. Morey.

1889—November 9. Charles E. Fitch and Sylvanus A. Ellis, appointed to fill vacancies caused by the deaths of Hiram Sibley and Henry E. Rochester.

1890—May 9. Appointed by President Augustus H. Strong, John H. Rochester, to fill a vacancy.

1891—April 10. Existing Board reappointed by President James Lansing Angle.

1892—February 12. Appointed by President Augustus H. Strong, Dr. E. V. Stoddard and George Moss, to fill vacancies occasioned by the deaths of Judge James L. Angle and George E. Mumford.

1892—May 13. Appointed by President Charles E. Fitch, Frank W. Elwood, to fill a vacancy.

1892—November 11. Appointed by President Charles E. Fitch, Howard L. Osgood, to succeed Mortimer F. Reynolds, deceased.

1893—April 20. Appointed by President Charles E. Fitch: William C. Morey, John H. Rochester, S. A. Ellis, George Moss, Howard L. Osgood, Frank W. Elwood, Enoch V. Stoddard.

1894—April 13. Nominated by President John H. Rochester, and elected by the Society: Charles E. Fitch, Sylvanus A. Ellis, Howard L. Osgood.

1896—March 13. Nominated by President George M. Elwood, and elected by the Society: Porter Farley, Ezra R. Andrews, Clinton Rogers.

1897—March 12. Nominated by President George M. Elwood and elected by the Society: Clinton Rogers, Porter Farley, Ezra R. Andrews.

1898—March 14. Nominated by President Porter Farley, and elected by the Society: Ezra R. Andrews, Clinton Rogers, Howard L. Osgood.

1899—March 13. Nominated by President Porter Farley, and elected by the Society: Howard L. Osgood, Clinton Rogers, George P. Humphrey.

1900—November 12. Nominated by President Adelbert Cronise, and elected by the Society: Clinton Rogers, Charles P. Ford, George P. Humphrey.

1901—May 13. Nominated by President Adelbert Cronise, and elected by the Society: Clinton Rogers, Charles P. Ford, George P. Humphrey.

1902—May 12. Nominated by President E. H. Howard, and elected by the Society: George P. Humphrey, Charles P. Ford, Lauriston L. Stone.

1903—No change.

1904—March 26. Appointed by President William H. Samson: Harold C. Kimball, Charles W. Dodge, Porter Farley, Adelbert Cronise, Lauriston L. Stone.

1904—July 1. Appointed by President William H. Samson: Richard H. Lansing to take place of Adelbert Cronise, resigned.

1905—March 18. Appointed by President William H. Samson: Porter Farley, Harold C. Kimball, Charles Wright Dodge, Richard H. Lansing.

1906—March 31. Appointed by President Clinton Rogers: William H. Samson, R. H. Lansing, R. T. Webster, W. C. Edwards.

1908—March 6. Appointed by President Edward G. Miner, Jr.: William H. Samson, Wheelock Rider, Robert T. Webster, Willis K. Gillette.

1909—No change.

1910—No change.

1911—October 2. Appointed by President Edward G. Miner, Jr.: C. Walter Smith, Elmer Adler, Charles F. Pond, Willis K. Gillette.

1912—No change.

1913—No change.

1914—May 12. Appointed by President Edward R. Foreman: Elmer Adler, Alvin H. Dewey, William J. Simpson, Charles H. Wiltsie.

1915—April 15. Reappointed by President Edward R. Foreman: Elmer Adler, Alvin H. Dewey, William J. Simpson, Charles H. Wiltsie.

1916—March 24. Appointed by President Edward R. Foreman: William Herbert Wall to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Elmer Adler.

1916—May 8. Reappointed by President Edward R. Foreman: Alvin H. Dewey, William J. Simpson, William Herbert Wall, Charles H. Wiltsie.

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Note:—The following list of members is a transcript of the card index prepared by Raymond G. Dann, Treasurer. His report to the Board of Managers, April 15, 1915, shows that this roll is made up from a page-to-page examination of the minutes of the Society and the Board of Managers from the beginning to the present. The names of all persons ever elected as members have been entered on cards giving the business and house addresses, the occupation, telephone numbers, and the date of election. A similar card index was prepared also separately by the President and the two records were checked together to eliminate error. The card index thus completed was submitted to several older members to settle doubtful questions; also the entire roll has been entered in a record book, kept away from the card indexes, for the purpose of protecting the roll against accidental destruction.

Treasurer Dann has done this work very thoroughly, with the view of making it unnecessary to cover the ground again. It is substantially a correct record of the Society's membership to date. It would be appreciated greatly if any errors noticed were brought to his attention. Address, Raymond G. Dann, Treasurer, 125 Main Street East.

Elected	Name	Address
1914	Abbott, George Irving	6 Strathallan Pk.
1904	Adams, Elbridge L.	34 Nassau St., N.Y. City
1915	Adams, John H.	Hemlock, N. Y.
1914	Adams,, Miss Orel Louise	852 Culver Rd.
1914	Adams, Dr. Reuben A.	3 Upton Pk.
1914	Adler, Abram	561 University Ave.
1904	Adler, Elmer	561 University Ave.
1898	Adler, Isaac	25 Buckingham St.
1904	Adler, Mark L.	35 Beverly St.
1914	Adler, Max A.	19 East Boulevard
1914	Adler, Milton S.	8 East Boulevard
1914	Adler, Mortimer	95 Brunswick St.

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1895	Adler, Simon L.	17 Argyle St.
1904	Alden, John F.	50 Meigs St
1914	Alderman, Henry O.	719 Park Ave.
1894	Aldridge, Hon. Geo. W.	96 Plymouth Av. S.
1904	Alexander, J. Vincent	713 Park Ave.
1914	Allen, Mrs. Atkinson	2 Oliver St.
1906	Allen, Prof. John G.	1380 Atlantic Ave.
1914	Allen, Mrs. Leonard L.	1 Argyle St.
1915	Alling, Charles Edgar	136 Pierpont St.
1904	Alling, Joseph T.	400 Oxford St.
1914	Allyn, Leon C.	383 Park Ave.
1914	Almy, Willey H.	2125 East Ave.
1888	Andrews, J. Sherlock	123 St. Paul St.
1914	Angle, Mrs. Charles E.	295 Lake Ave.
1893	Anstice, Josiah	265 Culver Rd.
1900	Antisdale, Louis M.	180 Dartmouth St.
1914	Argetsinger, Hon. Geo. F.	683 Averill Ave.
1914	Armstrong, Thos. Hoyt	Woodman Rd.
1904	Armstrong, Hon. Wm. W.	54 Lorimer St.
1914	Arnold, James Burns	22 Menlo Pk.
1914	Arnold, Mrs. James Burns	22 Menlo Pk.
1898	Atwood, H. Franklin	170 Seneca Parkway
1914	Averill, Robert	719 Park Ave.
1914	Avery, Courtland	74 S. Union St.
1904	Babcock, Charles H.	22 Berkeley St.
1914	Babcock, Mrs. Edith H.	22 Berkeley St.
1914	Bacon, Leonard Beaumont.	35 Vick Park B
1916	Badger, Robert A.	94 Ambrose St.
1914	Baker, Dr. Harold H.	301 Lake Ave.
1914	Baker, William J.	699 Main St. E.
1914	Bakrow, Julius John	369 Westminster Rd.
1905	Ball, Henry E.	71 Oxford St.
1914	Ball, Lloyd B.	40 Main St. E.
1904	Barhite, Hon. John A.	13 Buckingham St.
1895	Barnard, Miss Ella Jane	16 Rowley St.
1888	Barnard, Henry	1565 East Ave.
1914	Barnard, Houston	7 Strathallan Pk.
1914	Barnes, James	136 Pearl St.
1914	Barry, Frederic G.	706 Mt. Hope Ave.
1890	Barry, Wm. Crawford	706 Mt. Hope Ave.
1914	Barstow, Ralph M.	157 Mulberry St.
1914	Barton, Miss Adelia C.	292 Tremont St.
1913	Bauer, George J.	1462 Culver Rd.
1914	Bausch, George R.	201 Rutgers St.
1914	Bausch, William	1063 St. Paul St.
1914	Baxter, Florus R.	596 Genesee St.
1914	Baxter, William N.	183 Dartmouth St.
1914	Beach, Daniel M.	50 Barrington St.
1914	Bechtold, Charles B.	649 Seneca Parkway
1893	Beckley, John N.	75 Berkeley St.
1914	Belcher, Dr. William W.	186 Alexander St.
1914	Bell, David R.	West Brighton, N. Y.
1914	Bemish, William H.	195 Plymouth Ave. S.
1914	Benham, Leon L.	Irondequoit, N. Y.
1914	Bentley, Cogswell	319 Berkeley St.
1914	Bentley, Harold D.	1 Grove Pl.

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1914	Bentley, Mrs. Martha Cogswell	7 Prince St.
1892	Bentley, Sardius D	7 Prince St.
1914	Betz, Frederick	99 Pinnacle Rd.
1904	Bickford, A. E	340 Monroe Ave.
1914	Bliven, George H	185 Laburnum Cres.
1914	Bloom, Mortimer G	103 Rutgers St.
1893	Bloss, Joseph B	334 Oxford St.
1914	Blossom, Thomas Edward	1400 East Ave.
1914	Blumensteil, Joseph	204 Dartmouth St.
1914	Bluntach, John A	1009 St. Paul St.
1904	Bly, Dr. Perry A	Municipal Hospital
1914	Bock, Dr. Franklin W	27 Rowley St.
1914	Bohachek, Herbert Halsey	75 Corwin Rd.
1914	Boller, Ezra J	763 Harvard St.
1914	Bolton, Albert J	Hotel Rochester
1904	Booth, James E	105 Lake Ave.
1914	Boucher, James H	24 Harvard St.
1914	Bowen, Dr. Willis Elliott	827 Main St. East
1914	Boynton, Edward Everett	16 E. Boulevard
1914	Bradshaw, Charles	82 Harper St.
1914	Bradt, Chauncey S	144 Corwin Rd.
1914	Brady, Mrs. Charles G	69 Adams St.
1914	Brady, Mrs. James P	397 Plymouth Ave. S.
1914	Brady, Seth Gilbert	Clover Rd., Brighton
1914	Bragdon, Claude	3 Castle Pk.
1914	Bramley, Herbert W	Brockport, N. Y.
1904	Brayer, John F	27 Hancock St
1914	Brazill, James M	14 Lake View Ter.
1914	Brewster, E. Franklin	141 S. Fitzhugh St.
1892	Brewster, Harold P	24 N. Goodman St.
1892	Brewster, Henry Colvin	901 East Ave.
1914	Brewster, Mrs. Henry C	901 East Ave.
1893	Brewster, Miss Jane E	Avon, N. Y.
1901	Brewster, S. Edward	13 Sibley Pl.
1914	Brickner, David M	89 Westminster Rd.
1914	Brickner, Isaac M	Irondequoit, N. Y.
1892	Brickner, Max	323 Westminster Rd.
1914	Bridges, Thomas J	Fairport, N. Y.
1914	Brigden, Arthur E	121 Westminster Rd.
1915	Briggs, John Stevens	25 Erion Cres.
1893	Bristol, Albert M	320 Bloor St. W., Toronto, Ont., Can.
1914	Brown, Edward C	1186 Lake Ave.
1888	Brown, Hon. Selden S	Scottsville, N. Y.
1898	Brown, Thomas Fox	45 Rutgers St.
1904	Brown, Dr. Wm. M	1776 East Ave.
1914	Bruce, Walter E	103 Shepard St.
1914	Bryant, Luther P	352 Mt. Vernon Ave.
1916	Buchmuller, Miss Magdalena A	274 Meigs St
1888	Buell, Mrs. Gertrude A	56 Berkeley St.
1913	Bunnell, Charles E	21 Bly St.
1914	Burke, Edmund J	43 Prince St.
1914	Burke, Mrs. Edmund J	43 Prince St.
1892	Bush, Daniel W	36 S. Goodman St.
1914	Butler, Herman John	401 Plymouth Ave. S.

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1904	Butler, William Mill.	The Nathan Hale, Ft. Wash. and 181st St., New York City
1914	Caldwell, James A.	18 North Union St.
1904	Caldwell, William H.	165 West Ave.
1914	Calihan, William A.	350 Augustine St.
1914	Calkins, Daniel N.	277 Barrington St.
1914	Campbell, William H.	Brockport, N. Y.
1904	Carnahan, Hon. Geo. A.	35 E. Boulevard
1914	Carroll, George Gregory.	614 Main St. W.
1914	Cartwright, Reginald V.	71 Calumet St.
1914	Case, Charles Vincent.	155 Edgerton St.
1916	Cassebeer, Walter H.	5 Brighton St.
1901	Castle, Mrs. John Harvard.	333 Meigs St.
1903	Castle, Kendall B.	22 East Boulevard
1914	Castle, Wilmot.	410 Westminster Rd.
1914	Castleman, Hon. J. W.	455 Mt. Vernon Ave.
1914	Cazeau, Theodore C.	40 Hickory St.
1914	Chace, Benjamin B.	7 Argyle St.
1904	Chadwick, George H.	891 Harvard St.
1904	Chapin, Charles T.	27 Rutgers St.
1893	Chapin, Edward D.	90 Troup St.
1892	Chapin, Louis S.	137 Plymouth Ave. S.
1899	Chapin, Wm. Wisner.	110 S. Fitzhugh St.
1898	Chappell, Mrs. James.	Brockport, N. Y.
1898	Chappell, Miss Louise.	541 Court St.
1895	Chappell, Mrs. William.	902 Harvard St.
1914	Chase, Harry Archer.	144 Pinnacle Rd.
1914	Chrisp, Hugh P.	182 Edgerton St.
1901	Church, Frederick F.	255 Culver Rd.
1898	Churchill, William W.	143 Plymouth Ave.
1914	Clapp, Howard H.	116 Dartmouth St.
1914	Clark, Ernest R.	Spencerport, N. Y.
1914	Clark, George Halford.	199 Lake Ave.
1914	Clark, Mrs. Louise C.	93 Bellevue Drive
1914	Clarke, Mrs. Eliza R.	101 Plymouth Ave. S.
1904	Clarke, Miss Elizabeth.	687 East Ave.
1895	Clarke, Roswell S.	84 Plymouth Ave. S.
1895	Clarke, Sherman.	30 Edgerton St.
1908	Clarke, Mrs. Sherman.	30 Edgerton St.
1914	Cobb, Amos Hubbell.	Brighton, N. Y.
1914	Cobb, Clarence Shepherd.	Fairport, N. Y.
1914	Cochrane, Dr. William B.	1335 Park Ave.
1914	Cohn, Herman C.	61 Westminster Rd.
1914	Colebrook, Albert S.	Irondequoit, N. Y.
1914	Comerford, James Garret.	779 East Ave.
1914	Conboy, Dr. Philip.	132 East Ave.
1914	Cooper, George N.	239 Westminster Rd.
1914	Copeland, Miss Clara May.	185 Rutgers St.
1914	Copeland, J. Clark.	34 James St.
1914	Cottman, Edward T. H.	99 Congress Ave.
1904	Covell, Dr. Henry H.	1600 East Ave.
1914	Coventry, Frederic S.	11 Vick Park A
1895	Cozzens, Mrs. Helen.	36 Audubon St.
1906	Craig, Mrs. Oscar.	33 S. Washington St.
1914	Cramer, George F.	295 Laburnum Cres.
1914	Crandall, Charles F.	1050 Lake Ave.

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1900	Crippen, Mrs. J. Hicks	185 West Ave.
1904	Crittenden, George S.	325 S. Goodman St.
1914	Crittenden, Parcellus V.	140 Plymouth Av.S.
1904	Crittenden, William Butler.	96 Emerson St.
1889	Cronise, Adelbert	27 S. Goodman St.
1916	Crouch, Charles E	7 Fulton Ave.
1916	Crouch, Frank M	46 Selye Ter.
1914	Crouch, Frank P	Irondequoit, N. Y.
1914	Croughton, G. Hanmer	32 Birch Cres.
1914	Culkin, Dr. Joseph R	286 Alexander St.
1904	Curtice, Edgar N	814 East Ave.
1914	Curtis, Miss Clara K	272 Alexander St.
1914	Curtis, Mrs. Gurney	8 N. Goodman St.
1914	Curtis, Wendell J	259 Culver Rd.
1914	Cushman, Frank L	549 Sawyer St.
1914	Cutler, Howard W	43 Lansdale St.
1890	Cutler, Hon. James G	766 East Ave.
1895	Cutler, J. Warren	94 Merriman St.
1899	Dake, Miss Clara O	87 S. Union St.
1914	Dake, William Ward	Brighton, N. Y.
1914	Dake, Mrs. William Ward.	Brighton, N. Y.
1914	Damuth, Clarence A	13 Evergreen St.
1904	Danforth, Henry G	200 West Ave.
1913	Dann, Raymond Goodrich.	745 Harvard St.
1914	Darrow, Dr. Charles E	216 East Ave.
1914	David, John	222 Culver Rd.
1914	David, Marcus	9 East Boulevard
1899	David, William G	Lyons, N. Y.
1901	Davis, C. Schuyler	87 Troup St.
1914	Davis, Robert W	170 Dartmouth St.
1901	Davy, Cassius C	56 Chestnut St.
1914	DeForest, Alling S	16 Fair Pl.
1914	DeMallie, Isaac	159 Berkeley St.
1895	Devine, Thomas J	19 Portsmouth Ter.
1904	Dewey, Alvin H	50 Harper St.
1906	Dewey, Dr. Charles A	174 Spring St.
1916	Dewey, Isaac Husted	1478 St. Paul St.
1892	Dickinson, Pomeroy P	11 Locust St.
1914	Dildine, William H	37 Bowman St.
1904	Dobbin, William L	Pittsford, N. Y.
1914	Dockstader, Myron Henry.	52 Harlem St.
1895	Dodge, Prof. Chas. Wright.	330 Oxford St.
1905	D'Olier, John G	326 Parsells Ave.
1914	Donnelly, William A	813 Post Ave.
1914	Dossenbach, Herman.	261 Dartmouth St.
1903	Dow, Dr. Frank F	429 Park Ave.
1916	Dow, Mrs. Frank F	429 Park Ave.
1914	Downs, C. Porter	1859 East Ave.
1904	Doyle, Michael	321 Lake Ave.
1915	Draper, George B	43 Linden St.
1914	Draper, Herbert Stone	225 Meigs St.
1914	Drescher, Wm. A. E	Brighton, N. Y.
1914	Dryer, Rufus K	Geneva, N. Y.
1914	Duffy, James P. B	Hotel Rochester
1904	Dunn, Hon. Thomas B	706 East Ave.
1914	Dutcher, Frederick L	140 Birr St.

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1914	Dwyer, Hon. Eugene J.	100 Selye Ter.
1893	Eastman, George	900 East Ave.
1914	Eastwood, Albert Bigelow	262 Culver Rd.
1914	Edelman, Edward C.	433 Maplewood Ave.
1893	Edgerton, Hon. Hiram H.	30 S. Goodman St.
1903	Edwards, William C.	51 Rowley St.
1904	Ellison, Frank T.	Brighton, N. Y.
1914	Ellsworth, Frank S.	Hotel Rochester
1914	Ellsworth, Mrs. Henry M.	32 N. Goodman
1914	Ellwanger, Mrs. Edw. S.	625 Mt. Hope Ave.
1914	Elwood, Mrs. Frank W.	577 East Ave.
1898	Elwood, James N.	47 Rosedale St.
1893	Emerson, Frank W.	Providence, R. I.
1914	Englehardt, Miss Gertrude	41 Cayuga St.
1914	Ernst, Joseph Louis	21 Prince St.
1914	Ernst, Louis J.	21 Prince St.
1904	Everest, Charles M.	56 West Ave.
1914	Ewers, William Vaux	140 N. Goodman St.
1902	Faber, John Peter	61 Merriman St.
1890	Fairchild, Prof. Herman	106 Winterroth St.
1895	Farley, Joseph	287 Lake Ave.
1890	Farley, Dr. Porter	15 Carthage Rd.
1898	Farnham, William B.	39 Oxford St.
1914	Favour, Frank	Brighton, N. Y.
1914	Federbush, Isadore S.	76 Kenilworth Ter.
1914	Fenn, Bradley W.	Brighton, N. Y.
1914	Ferris, Rev. David L.	325 Park Ave.
1889	Field, Reuben	Gates, N. Y.
1914	Fish, Clinton G.	105 Rockingham St.
1888	Fitch, Charles E.	Skaneateles, N. Y.
1914	Fitch, Dr. Ralph R.	1010 East Ave.
1893	Fitz Simons, Mrs. Caroline	5 Livingston Pk.
1914	Fitz Simons, Curtis	307 Ravine Ave.
1914	Floesch, Jacob M.	3 Argyle St.
1893	Folsom, Mrs. B. F.	Pasadena, Cal.
1899	Foote, Hon. Nathaniel	245 Culver Rd.
1904	Forbes, Prof. Geo. M.	64 Edgerton St.
1914	Forbes, John Franklin	375 Westminster Rd.
1908	Ford, Richard T.	21 Arnold Pk.
1904	Foreman, Edward R.	1740 Highland Ave.
1914	Foreman, Mrs. Louise	1740 Highland Ave.
1914	Foulkes, Louis S.	183 Harvard St.
1914	Fox, Marsden B.	183 Seneca Parkway
1904	French, Mrs. Eva L.	118 Fulton Ave.
1904	French, George J.	Brighton, N. Y.
1913	French, Dr. George P.	15 Clifton St.
1901	French, Mrs. Luella H.	407 Oxford St.
1914	Friederich, Adam G.	2052 St. Paul St.
1893	Fuller, George R.	1510 East Ave.
1914	Furlong, William M.	1036 Monroe Ave.
1908	Furman, Mrs. Helen P.	254 Alexander St.
1914	Gaffney, Miss Lillah C.	194 Oxford St
1891	Gannett, Rev. William C.	13 Berkeley St., Cambridge, Mass.
1914	Gannett, Mrs. William C.	13 Berkeley St., Cambridge, Mass.

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1904	Garfield, Charles F.	148 Plymouth Ave. S.
1914	Garson, Jacob L.	216 Culver Rd.
1915	German, Howard K.	88 S. Fitzhugh St.
1904	Gibbons, DeWitt C.	229 Dartmouth St.
1915	Gilbert, Prentiss B.	41 Prince St.
1914	Gillette, George A.	80 Kenwood Ave.
1904	Gillette, Hon. Willis K.	84 Adams St.
1888	Gilmore, Prof. Joseph H.	15 Brighton St.
1914	Gilmore, Joseph H., Jr.	1539 Highland Ave.
1908	Gilson, Mrs. Priscilla W.	120 Brooks Ave.
1904	Goff, Frank M.	191 Seneca Parkway
1914	Goodman, Milton	7 Stebbins St.
1906	Gordon, Edwin S.	69 George St.
1914	Gordon, George C.	139 Troup St.
1914	Gorsline, Ralph H.	80 Berkeley St.
1893	Gorton, Charles W.	227 Wilton Pl., Los Angeles, Cal.
1914	Gottry, Samuel H.	22 Parkway
1895	Gould, S. Seward	612 West 137th St., New York City
1890	Graham, Jas. S. W.R.C. Home,	Oxford, N.Y.
1916	Grant, Archibald J.	123 Chestnut St.
1904	Graves, Harvey B.	344 West Ave.
1915	Gray, Mason D.	180 Hampden Rd.
1914	Green, Henry Cleveland.	64 Brunswick St.
1914	Gregory, Miss Helen E.	105 Plymouth Av.S.
1908	Gregory, John H.	Hotel Rochester
1914	Griffeth, Chester P.	41 Lake View Pk.
1914	Griffith, Miss Julia.	113 Westminster Rd.
1914	Gucker, William J.	186 Driving Park Ave.
1914	Hagen, Roscoe Arthur.	50 Hawthorn St
1904	Hale, George D.	1059 Lake Ave.
1904	Hale, William B.	19 Prince St.
1899	Hall, Mrs. Grace Waldo.	60 Plymouth Ave.
1914	Hall, Miss Sallie M.	130 Spring St.
1904	Hanford, Henry S.	525 University Ave.
1904	Hanna, Most Rev. Edward J.	1100 Franklin St., San Francisco, Cal.
1914	Harper, Martha M.	881 Main St. E.
1914	Harris, Edward.	219 Culver Rd.
1914	Harris, Herbert H.	1266 Park Ave.
1914	Harris, Herbert H.	114 Friederich Pk.
1904	Harrison, Hon. Henry.	Brockport, N. Y.
1914	Haskell, Dr. Clayton K.	560 Monroe Ave.
1914	Hastings, Dr. Daniel G.	272 Alexander St.
1914	Hatch, Arthur Lewis.	26 Sumner Pk.
1904	Havens, Hon. James S.	1370 East Ave.
1908	Hawkins, Charles B.	166 N. Goodman St.
1914	Hawkins, Edgar M.	1350 Highland Ave.
1893	Hayward, Dr. Sumner.	5 Scio St.
1914	Hebbard, Hon. Delbert C.	1 Castle Pk.
1914	Henderson, John, Jr.	166 Shepard St.
1914	Henry, Joseph P.	86 Thorndale Ter.
1914	Herdle, George L.	19 Sumner Pk.
1904	Herriman, Dr. Wallace J.	636 Main St. W.
1914	Hess, Col. Frank J.	245 Plymouth Ave. S.

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1914	Hibbard, William W	34 College Ave.
1914	Hickey, Jeremiah G	353 Lake Ave.
1914	Hicks, Otis M	41 Boardman St.
1892	Hill, Hon. David Jayne	Washington, D. C.
1891	Hill, John H	171 Brunswick St.
1904	Hilliard, John N	Carmel-by-the-Sea, Cal.
1914	Hinrichs, Fred'k Wm., Jr	248 Oxford St
1895	Hoard, Volney A	691 Main St. East
1914	Hoeing, Charles H	23 Audubon St.
1914	Hogan, Joseph P	23 Glasgow St.
1903	Holden, Alexander M.	Honeoye Falls, N.Y.
1906	Hollister, Mrs. Emily Weed.	8 Granger Pl.
1891	Hollister, George C	8 Granger Pl.
1888	Hollister, Granger A	987 East Ave.
1914	Hollister, Mrs. Granger A	987 East Ave.
1914	Holloran, Joseph Carter	117 Magee Ave.
1914	Holtz, Lipman	1515 East Ave.
1895	Hone, Frank J	69 Meigs St.
1914	Hooker, Horace B	Brighton, N. Y.
1914	Hoot, William B	203 Monroe Ave.
1905	Horton, Miss Anna A	Rochester Orphan Asylum
1914	Hotchkin, Mrs. Alice M	29 Audubon St.
1904	Hotchkiss, James L	750 East Ave.
1895	Hough, Benjamin O	c/o Amr. Exporter, Battery Pl., N.Y.City
1893	Hough, David M	705 Park Ave.
1893	Howard, Dr. Eugene H	State Hospital, South Ave.
1888	Howe, Jacob	181 Chili Ave.
1904	Howe, John B	269 Alexander St.
1914	Howlett, Herbert C	Clover Rd., Brighton, N. Y.
1895	Hoyt, Martin Breck	30 N. Goodman St.
1904	Hubbard, William A	13 Phelps Ave.
1893	Humphrey, George P	Greece, N. Y.
1914	Humphrey, Joseph Lee	Gates, N. Y.
1892	Hunn, Joseph S	Hotel Richford
1904	Huntington, Mrs. Frances W.	136 West Ave.
1905	Husband, Thomas H	285 Oxford St.
1904	Ingersoll, Dr. J. M	99 Crosman Ter.
1915	Irwin, Charles	116 Rosedale St.
1904	Ives, John M	17 Rundel Pk.
1914	James, William H	21 South St.
1914	Jameson, Theodore H.	285 Westminster Rd.
1914	Jeffress, Mrs. Thornton	421 East Ave.
1896	Jenkins, Sylvanus F., Jr	Pittsford, N. Y.
1914	Jenkins, Mrs. Sylvanus F	Pittsford, N. Y.
1893	Jennings, Mrs. George E	1005 East Ave.
1897	Johnson, William	110 Troup St
1904	Johnston, James	1080 Lake Ave.
1914	Johnston, John W	5 Arnold Pk.
1904	Johnston, Paul S.	Livingston Manor, N. Y.
1914	Jolley, Mrs. Augustus.	43 S. Washington St.
1914	Jones, Frank A	309 Lake Ave.
1914	Jones, Mrs. Frank A	309 Lake Ave.

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1905	Jones, Frederick H.	514 Lake Ave.
1914	Judson, Junius Royal.	5 Highland Heights
1908	Kaelber, J. George.	587 University Ave.
1893	Kalbfleisch, J. Clifford.	7 Buckingham St.
1906	Kavanagh, John.	232 Vassar St.
1908	Kelly, J. Raymond.	51 Westminster Rd.
1914	Kendrick, Prof. Ryland M.	Irondequoit, N.Y.
1914	Kennedy, John W.	143 Barrington St.
1914	Kiley, John B.	196 State St.
1914	Kimball, Mrs. Harold C.	13 Argyle St.
1908	Kimball, Mrs. Laura M.	145 Troup St.
1893	King, Moses B.	22 Ardmore St.
1914	Kingsbury, Ira D.	465 Oxford St.
1914	Kingsley, Dr. Orrin D.	41 Vick Park A.
1915	Kirk, William.	254 Westminster Rd.
1907	Kirkpatrick, George W.	278 Alexander St.
1914	Klonick, Harry.	961 Harvard St.
1914	Knapp, Miss Mary W.	86 Plymouth Ave. S.
1914	Kochenthal, Marcus.	150 Dartmouth St.
1913	Koeb, Joseph A.	170 Linden St.
1914	Lakeman, William H.	2 Lake View Pk.
1906	Lamberton, Alexander B.	737 East Ave.
1901	LaMoure, Dr. H. A.	State Insane Asylum, Pueblo, Colorado
1889	Landsburg, Rev. Max.	2280 East Ave.
1906	Langslow, Miss Helena M.	241 Alexander St.
1903	Langslow, Stratton C.	241 Alexander St.
1908	Lannin, Thomas E.	1162 Lake Ave.
1914	Lansdale, Herbert P.	21 S. Goodman St.
1904	Lansing, Richard H.	262 S. Goodman St.
1914	Lapham, Emory D.	East Rochester, N. Y.
1888	Lattimore, Mrs. Samuel A.	Forest Hills, L.I.
1914	Leary, Dr. Montgomery E.	827 Main St. W.
1914	Lee, Ernest Gordon.	66 Richland St.
1914	Lee, J. Swart, Jr.	1055 Harvard St
1891	Lee, William Brewster.	261 Culver Rd.
1914	Leighton, Miss Helene T.	30 Edgerton St.
1908	Leisching, Bernard.	692 Mt. Hope Ave.
1908	Leiter, Harry F.	2280 East Ave.
1914	Lempert, Julius H.	Hotel Rochester
1895	Lewis, Hon. Merton E.	853 Culver Rd.
1904	Lindsay, Alexander M.	973 East Ave.
1914	Lindsay, Mrs. Alexander M.	973 East Ave.
1914	Lindsay, Alexander M., Jr.	600 Park Ave.
1895	Lindsay, Mrs. F. N.	5 W. 83d St., N.Y. City
1914	Lindsay, Jesse W.	3 Granger Pl.
1914	Lindsay, Mrs. J. W.	3 Granger Pl.
1914	Link, Dr. Edward G.	230 Chestnut St.
1914	Little, Mrs. Beekman.	94 Westminster Rd.
1904	Loebs, Frederick C.	700 Main St. E.
1908	Lomb, Adolph.	289 Westminster Rd.
1904	Lomb, Carl F.	597 East Ave.
1914	Lomb, Henry C.	11 E. 68th St., N. Y. City
1890	Loomis, George W.	95 Gardiner Ave.
1914	Lowenthal, Arthur M.	14 Buckingham St.
1914	Lowenthal, Harry M.	14 Buckingham St.

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1914	Luitweiler, Miss Maria L.	27 Audubon St.
1914	Lunt, Clarence S.	9 Buckingham St.
1915	Lyddon, Clinton R.	Brighton, N. Y.
1915	Lyddon, Mrs. Clinton R.	Brighton, N. Y.
1914	Lyman, Charles G.	22 Vick Pk. B
1914	Lynn, Hon. John D.	14 Lamberton Pk.
1914	Lynn, William T.	42 Trafalgar St.
1914	MacAlpine, Miss Florence.	29 E. Boulevard
1888	Macomber, Mrs. Francis A.	963 East Ave.
1914	MacSweeney, Joseph P. F.	44 Melrose St.
1914	Maine, Henry Clay.	210 Oxford St.
1914	Mandeville, Mrs. H. K.	180 Alexander St.
1905	Marakle, Willard A.	35 Rockingham St.
1914	Marine, Samuel.	263 Brunswick St.
1891	Markham, Wm. G.	Avon, N. Y.
1914	Marsh, Ednor A.	90 Kenwood Ave.
1887	Mathews, Robert.	135 Spring St.
1916	May, Albert E.	241 Culver Rd.
1914	Mayer, Isaac.	Hotel Rochester
1914	McCarrick, Thomas P.	20 Argyle St.
1888	McClintock, J. Y.	7 Amherst St.
1914	McCrossen, Hadley W.	575 Plymouth Ave.
1914	McCurdy, John C.	434 Oxford St.
1914	McGill, Joseph Warren.	284 Alexander St.
1901	McGuire, Horace.	Pittsford, N. Y.
1914	McKelvey, William James.	9 Locust St.
1914	McMaster, John Jay.	1006 Lake Ave.
1900	McMath, Morrison H.	373 Oxford St.
1914	McMillan, George S.	138 Pinnacle Rd.
1902	McNall, George J.	West Henrietta, N. Y.
1904	McPhail, Percy R.	16 N. Goodman St.
1914	Meyer, Benjamin S.	Powers Hotel
1914	Meyers, Jacque L.	76 Brunswick St.
1914	Meyers, Morris M.	76 Brunswick St.
1914	Meyers, Walter S.	4 Oliver St.
1914	Michaels, Joseph.	Hotel Seneca
1914	Milburn, Mortimer E.	15 Kensington St.
1914	Millard, Ernest B.	10 Buckingham St.
1914	Miller, George B.	24 Sibley Pl.
1904	Miller, George D.	121 Caledonia Ave.
1914	Miller, Dr. Henry S.	18 Sibley Pl.
1914	Miller, Mortimer R.	232 Culver Rd.
1914	Milligan, Frederick C.	233 Fulton Ave.
1893	Miner, Edward G.	2 Argyle St.
1904	Mitchell, Francis B.	145 Troup St.
1904	Mitchell, Willis G.	90 Plymouth Ave.
1914	Monaghan, Robert L.	31 Park Ave.
1893	Montgomery, Wm. A.	110 Harvard St.
1914	Moore, Dr. Edward Mott.	74 S. Fitzhugh St.
1908	Moore, Miss Mary Pettis.	74 S. Fitzhugh St.
1891	Moore, Samuel P.	100 Berkeley St.
1888	Morgan, Daniel S.	Brockport, N. Y.
1899	Morgan, Mrs. D. S.	Brockport, N. Y.
1914	Morgan, George Dayton.	1210 East Ave.
1906	Morgan, Susan M.	Brockport, N. Y.
1901	Morris, Mrs. Edward C.	407 Oxford St.

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908	Morse, Mrs. Belinda L.	2 Granger Pl.
906	Morse, Mrs. Charles C.	13 S. Goodman St.
914	Morse, Miss Leila L.	713 Park Ave.
914	Morse, William S.	20 N. Goodman St.
895	Morton, Miss Margaret	LeRoy, N. Y.
914	Mosher, Howard T.	216 Alexander St.
.896	Moulthrop, Samuel P.	40 Phelps Ave.
.892	Mudge, Adelbert W.	60 S. Washington St.
1914	Muhl, Christian Edward.	115 Crosman Ter.
1893	Mulligan, Edward Wright.	788 East Ave.
1914	Mulligan, Mrs. E. W.	788 East Ave.
1888	Mumford, Miss Angeline S.	37 S. Washington St.
1914	Munro, Miss Annette Gardner.	19 Prince St.
1914	Munson, David C.	218 Barrington St.
1908	Naramore, Mrs. Jennie C.	110 Westminster
1914	Naramore, Wilbert A.	110 Westminster Rd.
1914	Newell, Albert Selby.	2 College Ave.
1888	Newell, Thaddeus S.	533 University Ave.
1916	Newman, Charles S.	150 Kislingbury St.
1906	Newton, Charles L.	4 Argyle St.
1904	Nobles, Harry.	255 Dartmouth St.
1914	Noeth, George Edward.	2200 East Ave
1914	Noyes, Henry Taylor.	283 Alexander St.
1893	Noyes, Milton.	53 Elm St.
1914	Nye, Edward L.	37 Lansdale St.
1914	O'Brien, Smith.	21 Lloyd St.
1914	Ocumpaugh, Charles H.	1339 East Ave.
1914	Ocumpaugh, Edmund, 2d.	121 Brunswick St.
1914	Ogden, Hon. Charles E.	165 Harvard St.
1904	O'Grady, Hon. Jas. M.	267 Westminster Rd.
1905	O'Hern, Joseph P.	53 S. Fitzhugh St.
1904	Olds, Nathaniel S.	Hotel Earl, N. Y. City
1907	Oothout, Mrs. John W.	1063 East Ave.
1904	Ormrod, Hon. Wm. L.	Churchville, N. Y.
1904	Osburn, Emory W.	8 Oliver St.
1899	Otis, George T.	155 Gorsline St.
1894	Otis, Lyman M.	196 Chestnut St.
1891	Paine, Cyrus F.	520 East Ave.
1903	Palmer, Charles H.	57 Barrington St.
1915	Parkhurst, Frederic W.	447 Mt.Vernon Ave.
1916	Parish, H. Fred.	108 Woodward St.
1915	Parsons, Wm. Marshfield.	Brighton, N. Y.
1904	Patchin, Frank G.	86 Colby St.
1906	Paviour, Robert S.	537 Averill Ave.
1914	Payne, James R.	197 Magee Ave.
1914	Peachey, Stephen C.	346 Plymouth Ave.
1894	Peck, Henry.	1555 East Ave., Brighton, N.Y.
1898	Peer, George E.	Chili Station, N. Y.
1914	Perkins, Erickson.	494 East Ave.
1914	Perkins, Mrs. Erickson.	494 East Ave.
1887	Perkins, Mrs. Gilman H.	421 East Ave.
1894	Perkins, Gilman N.	270 Culver Rd.
1914	Perkins, Mrs. Gilman N.	270 Culver Rd.
1914	Perkins, Mrs. James Breck.	286 Park Ave.
1914	Perry, Charles E.	35 Sumner Pk.

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1888	Phinney, Herman K.	8 Brighton St.
1904	Pierce, Horace G.	58 Albemarle St.
1904	Pierce, Samuel C.	49 Greig St
1914	Pillow, Edward F.	151 Gorsline St.
1904	Plumb, William T.	52 Vassar St.
1888	Pond, Charles F.	133 Plymouth Ave. S.
1914	Pond, Nathan P.	313 Monroe Ave.
1914	Pond, Mrs. Nathan P.	313 Monroe Ave.
1906	Porter, Clifford J.	593 Park Ave.
1895	Porter, Mrs. Samuel	278 Alexander St.
1896	Potter, Dr. Ezra B.	1487 South Ave.
1899	Powers, John Craig.	700 East Ave.
1895	Powers, Walter W.	474 East Ave.
1914	Present, Philip.	2161 East Ave.
1914	Price, Mrs. Margaret E.	11 Wilmer St.
1898	Prizer, Edward.	Vacuum Oil Co., N. Y. City
1905	Proseus, Dr. Frederick W.	270 Monroe Ave.
1895	Putnam, Edward D.	Municipal Museum
1904	Raines, Thomas.	8 Amherst St.
1914	Ramaker, Prof. Albert J.	11 Tracy St.
1914	Ranlet, Mrs. Robert	28 N. Goodman St.
1914	Raplee, Blake S.	325 Barrington St.
1904	Rauschenbusch, Prof. Walter.	4 Portsmouth Ter.
1914	Reed, Dr. William B.	25 Plymouth Ave. N.
1915	Reekie, William M.	106 Meigs St.
1893	Reichenbach, Miss Franc A.	32 King St.
1895	Remington, Hon. Harvey Foote.	77 Reservoir Ave.
1898	Remington, Rev. Roy E.	4 West 31st St., N. Y. City
1904	Remington, Stanley D.	580 Averill Ave.
1901	Rhees, Dr. Rush.	440 University Ave.
1906	Rider, Dr. Wheelock,	See Edward Wheelock
1888	Riley, George S.	Avon, N. Y.
1914	Robins, Mrs. Kingman Nott.	935 East Ave.
1891	Robinson, Arthur.	67 S. Washington St.
1895	Robinson, Chas. M.	65 S. Washington St.
1904	Rochester, Dr. Haydon.	707 Broadway, Central Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.
1915	Rockwood, Arthur Jones.	51 Rutgers St.
1915	Rockwood, Mrs. Susan B.	51 Rutgers St.
1894	Rodenbeck, Hon. Adolph J.	120 Rutgers St.
1914	Rogers, Mrs. Annie M.	10 Arnold Pk.
1890	Rogers, Clinton.	127 Spring St.
1914	Rogers, William H. H.	10 Arnold Pk.
1914	Root, Miss Josephine.	7 Prince St.
1914	Rose, Deloss M.	77 Gorsline St.
1893	Roseboom, Jacob L.	672 Main St. E.
1914	Rosenberg, Jacob G.	44 Beverly St.
1914	Rosenberg, Norman.	45 Hudson Ave.
1895	Rumsey, Miss Lydia.	The Century Club, East Ave.
1914	Sage, George Burrows.	713 Park Ave.
1914	Sage, Mrs. George B.	713 Park Ave.

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1893	Samson, William H.	....454 Riverside Drive, New York City
1904	Schenck, Ludwig	.....11 Melrose St.
1914	Schlegel, Charles P.	.....900 South Ave.
1914	Schoeffel, George B.	.....469 Lake Ave.
1901	Scott, Mrs. Jacob D.	.....1708 East Ave.
1904	Searing, Richard A.	.N. Tonawanda, N. Y.
1914	Seeber, Edward J.	.....84 Dartmouth St.
1904	Seel, John A.	.....481 Lake Ave.
1893	Selden, Arthur R.	.....510 East Ave.
1914	Sens, Herman A.	..80 Fifth Ave., N. Y. City
1896	Seward, William R.	.....218 Alexander St.
1914	Schantz, Moses B.	.....2 Granger Pl.
1905	Sheffer, Allen R.	.....5415 Bartmer Ave., St. Louis, Mo.
1894	Shuart, William H.	.....59 Maple St., Springfield, Mass.
1914	Sibley, Mrs. Harper	.....400 East Ave.
1908	Sibley, Hiram W.	.....714 East Ave.
1888	Sibley, Rufus A.	.....930 East Ave.
1914	Sibley, Mrs. Rufus A.	.....930 East Ave.
1914	Simon, Joseph	.....571 University Ave.
1908	Simpson, William J.	...572 Plymouth Ave.
1904	Sloan, William E.	.....1250 East Ave.
1900	Slocum, George Fort	.....58 Brighton St.
1914	Smith, Andrew V.	.....8 Arnold Pk.
1915	Smith, Charles Winslow.	.8 Livingston Pk
1914	Smith, Clarence W.	..146 Plymouth Ave. S.
1895	Smith, C. Walter	.....254 Culver Rd.
1888	Smith, Mrs. E. Darwin	.....77 Park Ave.
1914	Smith, Dr. Fred'k R.	.89 Plymouth Ave. S.
1890	Smith, George H.	....360 Mt. Vernon Ave.
1893	Smith, Howard A.	.....70 East Boulevard
1914	Smith, Jay Hungerford.	..75 Brunswick St.
1914	Smith, John P.	.....74 Kenwood Ave.
1904	Smith, W. Stuart	.....432 Alexander St.
1914	Spencer, Mrs. Mary L.	.....323 Culver Rd.
1914	Sperry, Henry Muhlenberg.	108 Rugby Ave.
1904	Spiehler, Adolph	.....662 Averill Ave.
1913	Stanley, E. L.	.....49 Hortense St.
1907	Stanton, Miss Elizabeth L.	.240 Culver Rd.
1901	Stebbins, Dr. Henry H.	.....24 Prince St.
1892	Stedman, John Harry	.....840 East Ave.
1894	Steele, John M.	.....Pittsford, N. Y.
1914	Steele, S. Clarence	.....877 Harvard St.
1914	Stephens, Hon. John B. M.	....267 Meigs St.
1914	Stephens, Philip Frederick.	.3 Amherst St.
1914	Stern, Arthur L.	.....1430 East Ave.
1914	Stern, Charles	.....Brighton, N. Y.
1914	Stern, Henry M.	.....1501 East Ave.
1914	Stern, Herbert M.	.....740 East Ave.
1914	Stern, Morley A.	.....740 East Ave.
1888	Stoddard, Mrs. E. V.	.68 S. Washington St
1893	Stone, Lauriston L.	.....6 S. Goodman St.
1914	Stone, Rev. Warren S.	...138 S. Fitzhugh St.
1904	Strayer, Rev. Paul M., D.D.	.380 Oxford St.

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1914	Strayer, Mrs. Paul Moore	380 Oxford St
1914	Strobel, John F., Jr	52 Lake View Pk
1887	Strong, Rev. Augustus H., D.D.	17 Sibley Pl
1914	Strong, Mrs. Augustus H	17 Sibley Pl
1892	Strong, Henry A	693 East Ave
1892	Stull, Mrs. Joseph A	20 Menlo Pl
1914	Stupp, Louis F	1054 Culver Rd
1904	Sumner, Dr. Charles R	20 Sibley Pl
1915	Sunderlin, Howard I.	45 Plymouth Ave. N
1908	Swanton, Mrs. Thomas J	The Vassa
1914	Swenson, John	Powers Hote
1914	Swinburne, Robert M	55 West Ave
1914	Taylor, Frank	47 Wellington Ave
1904	Taylor, Rev. Wm. R., D.D.	13 Prince St
1914	Thistlethwait, Charles J	Fairport, N. Y
1908	Thomas, Frank S	24 Wellington Ave
1914	Thompson, Charles O.	117 Westminster Rd
1904	Thoms, Charles M	19 Argyle St
1906	Thoms, Mrs. Helen D	19 Argyle St
1914	Todd, George W	1475 East Ave
1915	Todd, Libanus M	62 Berkeley St
1914	Toole, Miss Julia A	1220 Geary St., San Francisco, Cal
1916	Turner, Miss Sarah L	34 Beacon St
1914	Turpin, Miss Lucy Manners	The Oxford
1905	Urquhart, Dr. John G	Castle Hot Springs, Hot Springs, Ariz
1914	Vail, Prof. Charles Delamater	Geneva, N.Y
1914	VanAllen, Everett K	1273 Park Ave
1914	VanBergh, Morris E	16 Buckingham St
1914	VanDeCarr, R. DeLue	586 Averill Ave
1914	VanDeCarr, Mrs. Sarah L.	586 Averill Ave
1914	VanHee, Daniel L	236 Dartmouth St
1915	VanIngen, Miss Fannie Lois	9 Werner Pk
1914	VanIngen, Hendrick	74 Avondale Pk
1893	VanIngen, John A	1376 Highland Ave
1914	VanSchaick, George S	21 Selye Ter
1916	VanValkenburg, Henry J.	308 Winton Rd.N
1914	VanVoorhis, Eugene	Irondequoit, N. Y
1914	Varnum, Mrs. J. P	301 Alexander St
1905	Venor, Edmund	24 Rugby Ave
1914	Vicinus, William H	642 Main St. E
1914	Vredenburg, Charles W.	Summerville, N. Y
1904	Wait, William C	403 Park Ave
1895	Walbridge, Edward N.	107 S. Fitzhugh St
1904	Walker, Albert C	1376 Highland Ave
1914	Walker, Edward H	1374 Highland Ave
1915	Wall, W. Herbert	109 Vassar St
1914	Ward, Mrs. Florence Yates	855 East Ave
1895	Ward, Levi F	855 East Ave
1890	Ward, William H	7 Grove Pl
1892	Warner, Frederick W	18 Argyle St
1895	Warner, J. Foster	5 Prince St
1914	Warren, Arthur	Brighton, N. Y
1904	Warren, Stephen J	W. Henrietta, N. Y

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904	Washburn, Rev. Louis C., D.D.	.....317 S. 11th St., Philadelphia, Pa.
894	Watson, James S.	.....11 Prince St.
914	Watson, Mrs. James S.	.....11 Prince St.
901	Weaver, Dr. John E.	.....469 Meigs St.
914	Weaver, Mrs. Lucius E.	..165 Alexander St.
914	Webb, Walter F.	.....202 Westminster Rd.
892	Webb, William W.	.....45 Westminster Rd.
914	Webber, Miss Hattie L.	.....29 Tracy St.
893	Webster, Mrs. Addie M.	.....120 Lake Ave.
.914	Webster, George Young.	..34 Riverside St.
.914	Webster, Joseph R.	.....19 Riverside St.
1914	Webster, Mrs. Joseph R.	..19 Riverside St.
1905	Webster, Robert T.	.....Palmyra, N. Y.
1904	Weet, Herbert S.	.....53 Hancock St.
1904	Wegman, John B.	.....445 Oxford St.
1914	Welch, George Hiram.	.....120 Chestnut St.
1915	Weldon, Walter Anthony.	..244 Post Ave.
1890	Westervelt, Prof. Zenas F.	1545 St. Paul St
1914	Westervelt, Mrs. Zenas F.	.1545 St. Paul St.
1908	Wetmore, Lansing G.	.....Brighton, N. Y.
1906	Wheelock, Dr. Edward.	.....26 Gibbs St.
1914	White, Richard E.	.....5 Arlington St.
1914	Whitney, Miss Alice K.	.123 Barrington St.
1914	Whitney, Frederick Moore.	12 Audubon St.
1894	Whitney, Warham.	.....22 S. Goodman St.
1914	Whitney, Mrs. Warham.	22 S. Goodman St.
1890	Whittlesey, W. Seward.	123 S. Fitzhugh St.
1914	Wickes, Miss Alice H.	.....125 Vassar St.
1914	Wickes, Mrs. H. VanWyck	.....60 Forest Ave., Rye, N. Y.
1892	Wickes, Robert B.	.....229 Oxford St.
1914	Widener, Howard H.	..Chili Station, N. Y.
1902	Wilbor, Dr. Charles W.	.....Pittsford, N. Y.
1904	Wilcox, Albert H.	.....224 Barrington St.
1915	Wild, Miss Anna E. M.	.....143 Spring St.
1902	Wild, Paul C.	.....143 Spring St.
1904	Wile, Julius M.	.....Powers Hotel
1914	Wile, Mortimer E.	.....37 Calumet St.
1914	Wile, Solomon.	.....1 Upton Pk.
1904	Will, Albert.	.....17 Oliver St.
1914	Will, Miss Blanca.	.....26 Portsmouth Ter.
1914	Will, Frederick, Jr.	.....163 Saratoga Ave.
1914	Willard, Ernest R.	.....485 East Ave.
1914	Willard, Mrs. Ernest R.	.....485 East Ave.
1893	Williams, Charles M.	.....43 Merriman St.
1895	Williams Dr. Henry T.	..274 Alexander St.
1904	Williams, John M.	.....153 Plymouth Ave.
1893	Williams, Louis L.	.....341 Meigs St.
1914	Williams, Samuel C.	....1525 Highland Ave.
1914	Williams, Whitney.	.....54 Park Ave.
1914	Willimek, Fedor.	.....69 Raines Pk.
1893	Wilson, Mrs. C. B.	.....82 Avenue A
1914	Wilson, Joseph C.	.....221 Aldine St.
1888	Wiltsie, Charles H.	..123 Plymouth Ave. S.
1914	Witherspoon, Dr. Chas.	..20 Dartmouth St.

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1914	Withington, Farley J.	593 Park Ave.
1905	Wolcott, Mrs. Belle S.	216 N. Goodman St.
1898	Wolcott, Edwin H.	57 S. Union St.
1914	Wolcott, George P.	250 Culver Rd.
1906	Wolcott, Mrs. James E.	250 Culver Rd.
1914	Wolf, Mrs. Augustus A.	The Vassar
1914	Wolff, Rev. Horace J.	987 Harvard St.
1904	Wollf, Martin E.	25 Portsmouth Ter.
1904	Woodbury, John C.	145 Lake Ave.
1914	Woodcock, George E.	305 Barrington St.
1904	Woodgate, E. J.	Canandaigua, N. Y.
1914	Woodruff, E. B.	Hemlock, N. Y.
1915	Woodruff, H. S.	Livonia, N. Y.
1914	Woodward, Roland B.	220 Culver Rd.
1914	Woodworth, Harry Spencer.	Livonia, N. Y.
1906	Woodworth, Mrs. Sarah E.	1099 East Ave.
1913	Woolsey, L. J.	33 Vick Pk. A
1895	Wright, Mrs. Alfred.	8 Buckingham St.
1904	Wright, Alfred G.	392 Troup St.
1906	Wright, Mrs. Alfred G.	392 Troup St.
1914	Wright, Cornelius R.	3 Alliance Ave.
1901	Wright, John S.	Barnard, N. Y.
1902	Yates, Frederick W.	1040 East Ave.
1902	Yates, Mrs. Frederick W.	1040 East Ave.
1913	Yawger, Harry H.	78 Linden St.
1914	Yawman, Philip H.	322 University Ave.
1913	Yust, William Frederick.	333 Frank St.
1914	Zeeveld, Peter W.	46 Brighton St.
1914	Zoller, Frederick W.	1340 Lake Ave.

Note:—All of the addresses in the above list of active members have been checked up with the 1916 Rochester Directory.

Corresponding Members

Elected	Name	Address
1894	Ayers, Steven B	Penn Yan, N. Y.
1894	Brodie, William A	Geneseo, N. Y.
1894	Bunnell, A. O	Dansville, N. Y.
1897	Clark, George T	Oswego, N. Y.
1894	Clark, L. H	Sodus, N. Y.
1894	Coates, Irving W	Shortsville, N. Y.
1895	Cornell, J. W	Albion, N. Y.
1894	Day, Belden S	N. Y. City
1894	Dudley, H. A	Warsaw, N. Y.
1895	Fitch, Ashbel N	Tacoma, Wash.
1896	Hayes, Rev. Charles W., D.D.	Phelps, N.Y.
1894	Hutchinson, Hon. Charles W.	Utica, N.Y.
1894	James, Dr. Frederick H.	Lancaster, N. Y.
1897	Judson, William P	Oswego, N. Y.
1894	Langdon, Andrew	Buffalo, N. Y.
1895	Osborne, John H	Auburn, N. Y.
1895	Poole, Murray E	Ithaca, N. Y.
1899	Porter, Hon. Peter A.	Niagara Falls, N.Y.
1894	Shepard, Charles	Dansville, N. Y.
1897	Smith, Carroll E	Syracuse, N. Y.
1904	Stringer, George Alfred	Buffalo, N. Y.
1896	Van Dorn, Frederick	Mt. Morris, N. Y.

Life Member

Elected	Name
1898	Angevine, Edward

Honorary Members

Elected	Name	Address
1894	Bruce, Gen. Dwight H.	Syracuse, N. Y.
1894	Clark, Gen. John S.	Auburn, N. Y.
1894	Darling, Gen. Charles W.	Utica, N. Y.
1892	Hanford, Rear Admiral Franklin S.	Scottsville, N. Y.
1891	Johnson, James G.	Salamanca, N. Y.
1892	McCall, Ansel J.	Bath, N. Y.
1891	Minard, John S.	Fillmore, N. Y.
1890	Reynolds, Gen. John A.	West Ave., Fairport, N. Y.
1889	Ward, Rev. T. DeWitt, D.D.	Geneseo, N.Y.
1915	Wilson, John Sylvester.	241 Ridgeway Ave.

Note:—Dates of death of all deceased members are omitted because a complete record is lacking. Surviving friends and members of families are requested to forward this information to the Society in order that an accurate necrology may be prepared.

Deceased Members

Elected	Name
1891	Adams, John H.
1891	Adams, Rev. Myron
1893	Allen, Frederic P.
1888	Allen, George H.
1888	Allen, Oliver
1889	Alling, Stephen Young
1893	Alling, Mrs. William
1895	Allis, Hubbard S.
1897	Amsden, Frank J.
1891	Andrews, Ezra R.
1888	Angle, Judge James L. (Charter Member)
1888	Angle, Mrs. James L. (Charter Member)
1897	Anthony, Susan B. (Honorary Member)
1891	Arnold, George
1888	Arnold, S. J.
1898	Ashley, Egbert F.
1887	Atkinson, Hobart F. (Charter Member)
1895	Averill, William H.
1890	Backus, Dr. Azel
1904	Backus, Ogden
1889	Bacon, Theodore
1894	Baggs, Dr. M. M. (Corresponding Member)
1892	Baker, Charles S.
1904	Balkam, William F.
1892	Ballintine, James
1906	Barker, Edward D.
1904	Barrows, Howard A.
1888	Barry, Patrick
1893	Benton, Mrs. Caroline
1904	Bissell, Charles J.
1898	Bissell, Miss Frances
1889	Bower, John
1888	Brackett, Hon. James
1904	Bragdon, George C. (Honorary Member)
1895	Brewster, Harry Langdon
1904	Brewster, Horace C.
1895	Brewster, John H.
1890	Byrant, W. C. (Honorary Member)
1892	Burt, Bradley B. (Honorary Member)
1891	Butts, Hon. A. P. (Honorary Member)
1888	Brown, Thomas, Sr.
1888	Buell, George C.
1888	Buell, George C., Jr.

Elected	Name
1888	Bullions, Mrs. Annie (Charter Member)
1892	Burke, William B.
1904	Carroll, Clarence F.
1904	Cartwright, Robert
1895	Chamberlin, James R.
1904	Chase, Benjamin E.
1889	Chase, William P.
1895	Cheney, A. Cole
1904	Church, Richard
1892	Churchill, Mrs. William
1893	Clark, Milton
1895	Clarke, Edward S.
1895	Clarke, Freeman
1888	Clarke, Mrs. Freeman
1893	Clarke, L. Ward
1895	Clarke, Mrs. L. Ward
1890	Clarkson, George G.
1893	Colvin, Miss Laura
1897	Conklin, Henry W.
1890	Conover, George S. (Honorary Member)
1901	Converse, Dr. Rob Roy
1888	Cook, Frederick
1887	Cooke, Martin W. (Charter Member)
1889	Crabbe, Mrs. Augusta E.
1903	Crafts, F. H.
1888	Craig, Oscar
1915	Cramer, J. George
1891	Crittenden, DeLancey
1893	Crouch, George W., Sr.
1892	Culver, Marvin A.
1904	Curtice, S. G.
1888	Curtis, Mrs. C. M.
1893	Curtis, Eugene T.
1899	Cuyler, George M.
1888	Danforth, Judge George F.
1893	Darling, George
1889	Darrow, Erastus
1893	Davis, E. H.
1888	Dewey, D. M.
1895	Dewey, Winfield S.
1891	Doolittle, Miss Mary A.
1888	Doty, Dr. W. D'Orville
1889	Dowling, Mrs. Katherine J.
1903	Drake, Fred E.
1904	Driscoll, W. H.
1888	Durand, Frederick L. (Charter Member)
1898	Eastwood, William
1888	Elliott, George W.
1889	Ellis, Sylvanus A.
1895	Ellwanger, Edward S.
1888	Ellwanger, George
1890	Ellwanger, George H.
1904	Ellwanger, William D.
1890	Elwood, Frank W.
1891	Elwood, George M.
1888	Ely, Alfred (Charter Member)

DECEASED MEMBERS

Elected	Name
1888	Ely, Mrs. Alfred (Charter Member)
1906	Ely, William S.
1893	Enos, B. Frank
1893	Fairchild, Mrs. Hattie
1888	Farrar, Raleigh
1893	Fisher, Mrs. George W.
1890	Fisher, James H.
1892	Ford, Charles P.
1893	Fox, John T.
1888	Frazier, Mrs. Mary
1893	French, Mrs. John H.
1888	Frost, Edward A.
1904	Furman, Charles E.
1893	Galusha, Mrs. Sarah
1893	Gates, Mrs. Cornelia R.
1892	Gay, Mrs. Horace
1890	Gibbard, Rev. Isaac
1902	Gilbert, Charles B.
1890	Gliddon, Thomas
1893	Goodrich, Mrs. Olive
1906	Gorsline, Margaret H.
1889	Gorsline, W. H.
1889	Goss, George A.
1893	Grant, J. Herbert
1914	Grant, Wilbur S.
1889	Greenleaf, Hon. H. S.
1889	Griffith, Mrs. Julia M.
1891	Hall, Miss Elizabeth P.
1889	Hamilton, William J. (Honorary Member)
1893	Harmon, George E.
1890	Harris, Benjamin F.
1888	Harris, Edward
1888	Harris, George H.
1891	Harris, James
1891	Hart, Henry S.
1895	Hart, James C.
1904	Hatch, Jesse W. (Honorary Member)
1893	Hathaway, Henry B.
1891	Hawks, Haywood
1894	Hays, David
1896	Hill, Miss Weltha B.
1888	Hills, Mrs. Isaac (Charter Member)
1893	Hooker, Horace B.
1891	Hopkins, Mrs. Alice
1904	Hovey, Dr. B. L.
1895	Howard, James O.
1892	Howell, Hon. Thos. M.(Honorary Member)
1893	Hoyt, David
1898	Hoyt, William M.
1889	Humphrey, George H.
1891	Hunt, Daniel T.
1888	Huntington, Elon
1888	Huntington, H. F.
1893	Husband, Thomas B.
1891	Jones, R. D.
1888	Kelly, James H.

Elected	Name
1887	Kendrick, Dr. Asahel C. (Charter Member)
1895	Kimball, Harold C.
1888	Kimball, William S.
1897	Kramer, George
1890	Kuichling, Emil
1903	Lamb, William P.
1896	Langslow, Henry Acton
1887	Lattimore, Prof. S. A. (Charter Member)
1897	Lee, Mrs. Pauline B.
1893	Leighton, Mrs. Thomas
1892	Lewis, Walter C.
1914	Likly, William C.
1888	Lomb, Henry
1888	Lowe, Samuel H.
1904	Lowenthal, Max
1899	Lowrey, Daniel
1907	Lozier, Mrs. Stanton
1893	Luetchford, Arthur
1894	McFarlin, F. Marion
1893	McGonegal, George E.
1901	McGuire, William D.
1903	McKenzie, James C.
1905	McLean, Hector
1888	McNaughton, Donald
1891	McVean, Alexander
1894	McVean, John C.
1889	McQuaid, Right Rev. B. J.
1888	Macomber, Judge F. A. (Charter Member)
1888	Macy, Sylvanus J.
1894	Maurer, Mrs. Nettie M.
1891	Millard, Rev. Nelson
1894	Milliken, N. S. (Corresponding Member)
1894	Mills, M. H.
1888	Mixer, Prof. Albert H. (Charter Member)
1898	Montgomery, Miss Fannie B.
1887	Montgomery, Thos. C. (Charter Member)
1887	Moore, Dr. E. M., Sr. (Charter Member)
1893	Moore, Henry J.
1889	Moore, Mrs. Mary D.
1893	Moran, William
1888	Morse, Charles C.
1888	Moses, Schuyler
1888	Moss, George
1901	Mott, Mrs. Samuel R.
1889	Munn, Mrs. E. G.
1893	Munn, Henry C.
1914	Myers, Horace G.
1904	Myers, Robert M.
1889	Nesbit, Dr. William (Honorary Member)
1888	Newell, A. C.
1888	Newell, Jared M.
1895	Nichols, Arthur E.
1888	Norton, H. P.
1904	Oaks, George J.
1888	O'Connor, Joseph
1888	Oothout, John W.

DECEASED MEMBERS

Elected	Name
1888	Osgood, Howard L.
1904	Otis, Gen. Elwell S. (Honorary Member)
1891	Otis, Ira L.
1887	Parker, George T. (Charter Member)
1887	Parker, Mrs. Geo. T. (Jane Marsh) (Charter Member)
1889	Parsons, Hon. Cornelius R.
1895	Peck, Edward W.
1889	Peck, Myron G.
1888	Peck, William F. (Charter Member)
1887	Perkins, Gilman H. (Charter Member)
1889	Perkins, Hon. J. Breck
1888	Perkins, Mrs. Wm. H. (Charter Member)
1888	Perrin, Darius
1893	Pitkin, Mrs. Louise L., Rochester (First Life Member)
1901	Pitkin, Miss Sarah B.
1889	Pixley, John L.
1891	Poole, Mrs. Bertha Scrantom
1893	Potter, Charles B.
1888	Powers, Daniel W.
1890	Proctor, L. B. (Honorary Member)
1888	Purcell, William
1895	Putnam, Joseph E.
1904	Rafter, George W.
1903	Rebasz, William M.
1906	Rebasz, Mrs. William M.
1904	Redman, George A.
1895	Requa, Josephus
1892	Reynolds, Mortimer F.
1891	Riley, Mrs. A. W.
1888	Roby, Sidney B.
1887	Rochester, Henry E. (Charter Member)
1888	Rochester, Miss Jane
1888	Rochester, John H. (Charter Member)
1889	Rockwell, Washington L.
1890	Roe, Dr. John O.
1904	Rose, Dr. Lewis W.
1891	Ross, Lewis P.
1896	Rowley, Mrs. William C.
1898	Sackett, Daniel E.
1894	Sage, Edwin O.
1888	Sage, William N.
1892	Satterlee, Eugene H.
1893	Saxe, Rev. Asa
1897	Saxton, Louise A.
1914	Schmidt, Rudolph
1895	Seaman, William B.
1894	Selden, R. L. (Corresponding Member)
1894	Selye, Devillo W.
1892	Seymour, William H.
1890	Shaw, Rev. James B.
1889	Sheldon, Hon. Judson
1906	Sibley, Mrs. Elizabeth C.
1887	Sibley, Hiram (Charter Member)
1893	Sloan, Samuel

Elected	Name
1894	Slocum, George E.
1888	Smith, Mrs. Edward M. (Charter Member)
1895	Smith, L. Boardman
1889	Smith, Miss Maria A.
1895	Spencer, Thomas D.
1899	Stark, Mrs. R. A.
1888	Stoddard, Dr. Enoch V. (Charter Member)
1888	Stone, James S.
1900	Stone, William Tallmadge
1889	Sutherland, Isaac J.
1901	Sweet, George M.
1890	True, Prof. Benjamin O.
1893	Van Doorn, Frank
1892	Van Voorhis, John
1893	Van Voorhis, Menzo
1889	Van Zandt, William
1895	Varnum, Jonas P.
1891	Vredenburgh, E. H.
1903	Wait, Calvin
1891	Wales, Miss Clara S.
1910	Ward, Prof. Henry A.
1888	Ward, Mrs. Levi A.
1888	Ward, Miss Mollie
1893	Warner, Mrs. Andrew J.
1890	Warner, Miss Clara D.
1890	Warner, H. H.
1895	Waters, William Augustus
1906	Watkins, George B.
1893	Watson, Mrs. Don Alonzo
1895	Webb, Charles H.
1893	Webster, Edward
1904	Weigel, Dr. Louis A.
1894	Wellington, Edward F.
1904	Werner, Judge William E.
1912	Westcott, Mrs. Warner
1890	Whitbeck, Dr. John F. W.
1888	Whitney, James M.
1887	Whittlesey, Frederick A. (Charter Member)
1904	Wilder, George
1888	Wilder, Samuel
1890	Wilkins, Herve D.
1903	Wisner, Henry C.
1899	Wolcott, James E.
1907	Wolcott, Mrs. James E.
1901	Woodruff, Dr. Charlotte T.
1890	Woodworth, Chauncey B.
1892	Woodworth, Chauncey C.
1897	Wortham, Charles E., Jr.
1888	Wright, Alfred
1902	Yates, Arthur G.

Annual Address of the President 1916

Annual Address of the President of The Rochester Historical Society 1916

At the annual meeting held at the Municipal Museum, Exposition Park, Monday, March 28, 1916, the President presented a report covering the work of the Society during the last two years. Because it covers matters which should be brought to the attention of every member, and the general public, it is printed below in full:

Members of The Rochester Historical Society:

Our Constitution provides for a Board of Managers whose duties "shall be to conduct the business affairs of the Society."

From time to time it is proper that the Society at large should be given some account of this stewardship, and especially at the annual meeting. On this occasion it is fitting to present reports covering generally the work and plans of your Board of Managers, inviting discussion and criticism.

The present administration has been in charge for two years, since the annual meeting held April 24, 1914, and tonight we propose to give brief summary of our work, and a particular discussion of points of especial interest.

Rolls and Records

When the present Board was constituted two years ago the nominal membership of the Society was about 415. Immediately a membership campaign was undertaken and carried through, with the result that about 418 names have been added to our rolls, making the present membership as follows: Active members, 799; honorary members, 10; corresponding members, 24; total, 833. These names have been recorded on duplicate card indexes, one being in the possession of the Treasurer and the other with the President. In the preparation of these indexes the minutes of the Society, for twenty-eight years since its founding, have been examined and all members recorded as being elected have been taken off on cards. A list of deceased members has been noted for pub-

lication in a necrology; and the names of all living members have been carefully examined for the correction of errors in spelling or addresses. Owing to the fact that many former members have left town or changed their residences, considerable time and effort was necessary to complete these card indexes, but we are now able to report our roll in good condition and ready for publication. Such publication has already been authorized and will soon issue. A record book has also been prepared of the card indexes, showing the names, addresses and other data, alphabetically and numerically arranged. This is for the purpose of protecting the roll in case of accidental destruction of the card indexes. This book is kept in a safe deposit vault, apart from the card index.

The work upon the roll has greatly bettered our finances, and is largely the result of the persistent thoroughness of our present Treasurer, Mr. Raymond G. Dann, who has spared no effort, nor sacrifice of time or energy to bring order and system to our membership record. Mr. Dann has also established an entirely new and effective system for the conduct of our financial affairs which has proved of great value. It is a pleasure publicly to testify to the permanent value of his loyal services in behalf of the Society.

Meetings

During the past two years we have held thirty meetings, nineteen of the Board of Managers and eleven public meetings. The largest attendance at any of the public meetings was above nine hundred, at the address of Prof. Franklin H. Giddings, of Columbia University; and the average attendance at the other public meetings has been from two to three hundred. This year we have held two notable meetings: in November the Lewis H. Morgan Memorial, held with the Academy of Science, and the address by former President Dr. Augustus H. Strong, "Reminiscences of Early Rochester." The addresses delivered at both of these meetings will be published and distributed to members.

The Constitution provides that the Board of Managers may pass any monthly public meetings of the Society except the annual meeting. On this authority your Board has exercised its discretion and called public meetings whenever it has been possible to provide a program within the scope of our organization. We do not deem it advisable to multiply meetings merely for entertainment's sake. Strictly our public exercises should be of historical nature. It is not always easy to secure papers of local interest and value; but we are unwilling to follow the example of

some other Historical Societies and wander far afield merely to provide picture shows or other entertainments for members. There are so many organizations in Rochester holding interesting meetings during the winter season that there is no dullness such as may exist in other communities. You all have as many social and literary engagements as you can well attend to; but you can all find time occasionally to attend a meeting of The Rochester Historical Society, when a topic of local history is to be presented. It has been the aim of your Board of Managers to provide such meetings, and this policy will, doubtless, meet your approval.

The Purchase of a Permanent Home

The ideal of our Socity is a permanent home of its own in a fire-proof building, centrally located, with ample accommodations for our pictures, library and museum; with a hall large enough for literary and social meetings; with living quarters for a Curator and complete equipment. During the past year a committee of the Board of Managers has looked over several pieces of property, which could be purchased for our purposes. At least one hundred thousand dollars would be necessary to buy, equip and provide the essential endowment fund to maintain such an establishment.

Our Society is unendowed and has no source of income but the annual dues of two dollars from each active member. The money thus received is no more than necessary to meet our contingent expenses, and the regular demands of museum and library. The purchase of a building is entirely out of the question on our present income. It must come from gifts from the living or bequests by will. Our Honorary President, Mrs. Caroline E. Perkins, is decidedly of the opinion that The Rochester Historical Society will never be properly settled until housed beneath its own roof. Many others share this opinion, and there is no good reason why Rochester cannot have such a building. Other cities have done this, and we do not have the reputation of being beaten in matters of public enterprise. Accomplishment signifies development from some idea; when beyond present possibilities it may be called visionary. Yet dreams must exist to form incentive to ambition. A beautiful home of our own may not be realized in the immediate future; yet, to make it an actuality, is only a matter of time and continued interest. A fine memorial for some rich citizen would be a handsome fireproof building especially designed for the needs of our museum and library. We cite

the example of Mr. Amos Tuck to indicate what can be accomplished through the beneficence of one interested person. He was able to do it, and he did. The beautiful building of the New Hampshire Historical Society was erected by him at a cost of $600,000. It is complete in every detail and houses the Society, and its valuable collections, most appropriately.

The Inventory of Our Property

The Board of Managers are the corporate trustees of the property of the Society. Our present possessions have an estimated money value of from seventeen to twenty thousand dollars, and historical value beyond price. These possessions have never been completely inventoried until recently. At considerable expense we have employed Mr. Robert T. Webster, our former Curator, to list and check up all our tangible assets, with the exception of the library, which will have separate treatment. This inventory has been supervised by a special committee consisting of Messrs. Dann, Yust and Wall, and will be made the subject of special report by Mr. Dann in his Treasurer's report.

The Library

From small beginnings we now own a library of nearly four thousand volumes, covering history, genealogy and Rochester books. It is the immediate and pressing duty of your Board of Managers to determine the proper scope of this library, and to undertake its classification, cataloguing and extension. In this matter we have sought the advice of our Secretary, Mr. William F. Yust, the Public Librarian of the City of Rochester, who has consulted with Mr. James I. Wyer, Jr., the New York State Librarian; and Messrs. James A. McMillan and Herman K. Phinney, the Librarian and Assistant of the University of Rochester; and Mr. M. W. Quaife, Supt. of The State Historical Society of Wisconsin. These gentlemen have reported to us their opinions in writing and we submit their views as part of our report.

Without any delay, action should be taken to establish our library in the condition of usefulness it ought to occupy in this community. Its position is unique and there is opportunity here for The Rochester Historical Society to create and maintain an agency of real civic value. This is a definite task which lies before us.

Note:—Volume I. of the Publications of The Rochester Historical Society contains a list of books in the library of the Society at that date (1892).

Our Relations With the Municipal Museum

For seventeen years the Society was housed in the Reynolds Library building. On September 6, 1912, under the administration of President Edward G. Miner, Jr., we accepted the invitation of Mayor Edgerton to take quarters at Exposition Park. Subsequently, September 24, 1912, acting upon special message of the Mayor, the Common Council of the City of Rochester established a Municipal Museum at the same place. At its inception this was a pleasant fiction, as the collections of The Rochester Historical Society provided the only museum at the Park; and the 1912 message of the Mayor referred solely to such Rochester relics as we then possessed. Since 1912 this situation has changed. The annual message of Mayor Edgerton, sent to the Common Council February 23, 1916, as to the Municipal Museum, shows five hundred twenty-five lots of exhibits at an estimated value of $3,500; with the statement that "there has come into the possession of the Municipal Museum during the past year as loans or gifts, a notable amount of material, showing an ever-increasing interest in the work the city is doing along the museum line." The Mayor now recommends more room, and a yearly fund for the purchase of books and bargains.

When we moved to Exposition Park we were the whole show; now we have a very healthy show building about us; and some of our members fear that when the Lion Municipal Museum and Lamb Historical Society Museum, finally lie down together, the Lamb will be on the inside. As to this matter, I shall speak for the Historical Society, and later ask Curator Putnam to speak for the Municipal Museum. We agree that the time has come for a public understanding as to the proper relations of the two museums; for both are bound to remain permanent institutions.

Our Constitution states the object of the Historical Society to be: "to obtain and preserve all relics and documents relating to the early history of the city of Rochester and adjacent country, to secure the composition and reading of papers relating to the same, and preservation thereof, and to promote interest in the early history of Rochester."

Within that field our Society should be exclusive, and should not expect rivalry from any museum, organization, agency, or persons; least of all from the City of Rochester, whose name we bear, and whose historic glory and fame we are especially incorporated to preserve and perpetuate. We were first in the field and should command the loyal support and good will of the citizenship we seek to honor and serve. With all

the positiveness of truth I assert, that there should be absolutely no rivalry between the Municipal Museum and The Rochester Historical Society. Nor is there need of such rivalry even if both museums remain under the same roof. The field of the Municipal Museum is general; ours is special and local. Books, manuscripts, pictures and relics relating particularly to Rochester should belong to our Society; all else properly belongs to the general museum. If you will take the trouble to examine the exhibits now displayed you will observe that this division does not, at present, exist. The Historical Society owns much of a general nature and the Municipal Museum, sad to relate, has more than a little local material. If we remain here some agreement should be reached definitely to end this situation. It is possible to have a Rochester Historical Society section into which should flow all local loans and gifts; and the general material could properly pass from our collections to the Municipal Museum in fair exchange.

It is not always easy to determine just where material belongs; nor do we control always the wishes of donors, who may indicate positively where they desire their property to go. But, so far as it can be controlled, the relations of the two museums should be fixed as mutually helpful, and never antagonistic.

The Rochester Historical Society would be quite ungrateful not to express publicly thanks for the generosity and hospitality which have been shown by the city authorities in giving us the accommodations we have enjoyed at Exposition Park. Here we find free rent, light and heat, free storage, free exhibition cases and library cases, and the services of an exceedingly competent Curator. Stout assertion of our rights in the premises does not at all deny us the privilege of expressing appreciation of the courtesy and ability of Curator Edward D. Putnam, of the Municipal Museum, who is also a member of our Society and its duly appointed Curator. We look to him to bring agreement and order out of such difficulties as the present situation presents; and we hope also for the continuance of cordial support on the part of the city administration, so long as we remain at Exposition Park.

The New York State Historical Association

For two years our Board of Managers have extended an invitation to the New York State Historical Association to hold its annual meeting in Rochester. Recently we have received from Mr. Frederick B. Richards, State Secretary, a letter

indicating the possibility that the New York State Association may accept our invitation and hold their 1917 meeting with us here in Rochester.

University of Rochester Prizes

During the past year your Board of Managers offered to establish at the University of Rochester first and second prizes for the best essays on assigned topics of local history. Upon consultation with President Rhees and Professor Laurence B. Packard, this offer was changed to cover two prizes of equal amounts, each $40.00 in gold, one for men and one for women, of the Senior class, to be awarded for the best work done in course in the history department of the University; the agreement being that topics of local history would be assigned annually to the entire Senior class. The winners of these prizes will appear in public to read their essays before The Rochester Historical Society each year. The notices sent to our members have already announced the first of these prize readings on Friday, May 26, 1916, 8 p. m., at Catherine Strong Hall.

Note:—The first year of the establishment of The Rochester Historical Society prizes in history in the University of Rochester resulted in the submission of seventeen articles covering a wide range of subjects in local history. For example: "The Development of Rochester Industries"; "The Influence of the Water Power of the Genesee upon the Growth of Rochester"; "The Development of Rochester's Park Playground System"; "The Contribution of our Foreign Population to Rochester's Development"; "Influence of Geographical Situation upon the Growth of Rochester"; "The William Morgan Affair"; "The Millerite Movement"; "Business Conditions in Rochester During the Civil War," and other interesting subjects. These articles were uniformly of high order of merit and, in the mass, were a positive contribution to local history. They have all been filed in the library of the University of Rochester and are there available for public use. The general result reflects great credit upon Prof. Laurence B. Packard, of the department of history of the University.

The first winners of the prizes after their foundation were Miss Catherine E. Coombs, on "Rochester's Public Schools"; and Mr. Clarence T. Leighton, on "The Rochester City Club." They read their prize papers before the Society, Friday, May 26, 1916, and each was then awarded forty dollars in gold.

By the establishment of these prizes we expect to stimulate the study of local history, to the mutual advantage of the University and our Society.

Note:—In his report to the Board of Trustees of the University of Rochester for the year ending June 21, 1916, President Rush Rhees says:

"The Rochester Historical Society has made a significant contribution to our work in history, by offering two prizes of $40 each, one for men and one for women, for the best work in the advanced course in history—History 3. Assistant Professor Packard in his report sets forth somewhat fully the method of that course, and indicates how it makes possible interesting contributions to the study of local history, to which the Historical Society is dedicated. This practical co-operation with our work by the Historical Society is most warmly and gratefully appreciated."

Professor Packard says in his report:

"The prizes offered by The Rochester Historical Society have been an incentive to the work in the course, and by substituting a subject in Rochester local history for one of the sub-topics, many students have collected some material of considerable value in increasing our stock of local historical knowledge."

Certificate of Membership and Seal

One of the accomplishments of the present Board of Managers has been the production of

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Note on Certificate:—A halftone reproduction of the certificate of membership fronts the title page of this book.

Note on the Great Seal:—At a meeting of the Board of Managers, held October 6, 1914, it was voted that "the seal of The Rochester Historical Society shall consist of the half figure of a Seneca Indian warrior with drawn bow in the act of shooting an arrow upward; beneath this Indian figure a scroll bearing the words 'incorporated 1888'; this device being surrounded by two circles including the legend, 'The Rochester Historical Society'; and this device shall be engraved on metal 1¾ inches in diameter. It shall be used as the seal of the Society and the Secretary shall have the custody thereof, and all official documents of the Secretary shall be issued under said seal."

Note:—The book plate of The Rochester Historical Society, an oval in which a log cabin is discovered, was designed by Mr. Claude Bragdon, and accepted by the Society September 23, 1912. This design is also used on our stationery and, in modified form, on the certificate of membership.

the engraved certificate of membership and new seal, both designed by Mr. Claude Bragdon. Being beautiful, the certificate is its own excuse for being, and serves as an appropriate reminder of membership in the Society. Already most of you have received your certificates. They will continue to go forward until all members in good standing are served.

Our Records

In preparing this summary of our affairs it has been necessary to read the minutes of our proceedings for the past two years, and I have been impressed with the fact that our Society has been fortunate in the choice of Public Librarian William F. Yust as its Recording Secretary; his trained mind giving him capacity to include in our proceedings the necessary facts which are especially essential for historical records.

The Board of Managers

To the gentlemen who have composed the Board of Managers, Messrs. Harvey F. Remington, William F. Yust, J. Vincent Alexander, Raymond G. Dann, Alvin H. Dewey, Charles H. Wiltsie, William J. Simpson, and Elmer Adler, I wish to make public acknowledgment for their loyal attendance upon the Board meetings and for their suggestions and advice which have led to whatever of good has been accomplished for the Society.

Responsibility of Members

Upon the members of The Rochester Historical Society generally rests a final responsibility to keep in mind the good and welfare of our organization and to extend the sphere of its influence.

The Rochester Historical Society represents the best citizenship of our community. Membership in this organization is a civic honor. We ask you to make some contribution to this worthy work.

Together we can accomplish something for the fair fame of the city we all love.

Note on the Federation of Historical Societies: —At the Summer meeting of The Livingston County Historical Society, held at Letchworth Park, Tuesday, August 22, 1916, the proposal was made to formulate some plan to bring into closer relationship all Historical Societies of the Genesee Valley. This would include the well-established Societies of the cities of Buffalo and Rochester, and the Counties of Ontario and Livingston, and

any similar Society in this territory. They are all organized to preserve and honor the history of the Genesee Valley. Some central council could be established, made up of representatives of all these bodies, to coordinate their efforts, and promote that helpful unity of spirit which would bring strength to all, and fame to the Valley. Steps will soon be taken to this end. Mr. William H. Samson says: "Undoubtedly joint meetings could be held, which would be very successful, and there could be joint publications, perhaps."

Gifts and Loans

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The object of The Rochester Historical Society as set forth in its Constitution, "to obtain and preserve all relics relating to the early history of the City of Rochester and adjacent country," is carried out in the establishment and maintenance of its museum and library. The Society will continue to invite contributions to these, and will make every effort to increase their educational value.

To this end the Society desires to secure, by gift or loan, relics of early days. We seek the treasure-trove of attics and forgotten store-chests. Let the Society know of your old manuscripts, letters, books, pictures, clothing, furniture, weapons, tools, ornaments or any articles which tell the story of the past. Things which have been discarded as obsolete may be of great value for the purpose of exhibition.

Notice can be given to any officer, member of the Board of Managers, or to the Curator at the Museum.

You can help the Society to render real public service by giving or loaning such possessions.

Note:—See pages 50 and 106 for statements as to the present possessions of the Society.

Forms of Bequests and Devises

Forms of Testamentary Bequests and Devises

To the Friends of The Rochester Historical Society:

Being duly incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, The Rochester Historical Society is competent to hold and dispose of real estate, and to receive loans, gifts, bequests and devises. ***When making your will, remember the needs of the Society.***

The following forms are suggested to any friend of the Society who may have in mind the generous thought of increasing its very limited resources by testamentary gift or bequest:

No. 1. Form of a Special Bequest

I give and bequeath to "The Rochester Historical Society," a corporation of the State of New York, located at the City of Rochester, New York, the sum of..... dollars towards the Building Fund of the Society.

No. 2. Form of a Special Bequest

I give and bequeath to "The Rochester Historical Society," a corporation of the State of New York, located at the City of Rochester, New York, the sum of..... .....dollars, which sum I desire that the said Society shall preserve by proper investment as a perpetual fund, to be known as The Library and Publication Fund, the yearly income thereof, and no more, to be expended annually in the publication of its papers, purchase of books, periodicals, prints, maps or other works, to increase or improve its library.

No. 3. Form of a General Bequest

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Note on Historians of Early Western New York and Rochester

In the Post Express, August 2, 1916, Mr. William H. Samson, former President of The Rochester Historical Society, says:

"Three of the most important books ever written on the History of Western New York are Seaver's 'Mary Jemison,' Henry O'Reilly's 'Sketches,' and Turner's 'Phelps and Gorham.' They are the foundation stones of the history of the early settlements; every recent historian who has written about New York State has turned to them; they are absolutely indispensible; indeed few other books are necessary to the preparation of an adequate and comprehensive essay."

And Mr. Samson, in the same article refers to Peck's "Rochester" as "the best local history ever written in this state"; and to Peck's "Monroe" and Doty's "Livingston," as "two admirable county histories"; with approval he mentions also Severance's "Old Trails on the Niagara Frontier."

Mr. Elmer Adler, writing for The Common Good, September, 1912, says:

"It is impossible to over-estimate Rochester's good fortune in having had unusually capable historians during its early days. Henry O'Reilly was an exceptionally conscientious and careful writer. His 'Sketches of Rochester,' a collection of studies and notes up to 1838, are invaluable to any local historian. There is additional interest attached to his book from the fact that it is illustrated with wood-cut engravings made by Alexander Anderson, America's first wood-cut engraver. No student of local history can ignore O. Turner's 'Phelps and Gorham Purchase' and 'The Holland Land Company'; and no man has better presented the Indian's social and economic life than has Lewis Henry Morgan in 'The League of The Iroquois.'"

There is a spirited account of the village of Rochester in "Travels in North America in 1827 and 1828," by Captain Basil Hall, Royal Navy (Published Edinburgh, 1829; Rochester notes in

Vol. I., Chap. V.); and the first village directory of Rochester, 1827, contains valuable local historical notes prepared by Jesse Hawley, this material being reprinted in the first city directory, 1834.

In his "Reminiscences of Early Rochester," recently read before The Rochester Historical Society, referring to the revivals conducted under Rev. Charles G. Finney, Rev. Augustus Hopkins Strong, D.D., says: "Rochester owes more to revivals of religion than it owes to its providential location or to the energy of its people; for without those revivals it is questionable whether there would have been anything like the education or the enterprise that have characterized the city." And in a discussion on the same subject before the Society some years ago, Dr. Strong expressed the opinion "that a foundation of morality in Rochester was thus laid, such as the city might not have had otherwise." These views make especially significant in local history the "Memoirs of Rev. Charles G. Finney, written by himself" (New York, 1876), giving account of his three series of revival meetings in Rochester, 1830, 1842, and 1855.

Two members of The Rochester Historical Society have written books on local history, the late William F. Peck, for over twenty years Recording Secretary of the Society, and Mrs. Jane Marsh Parker, for seven years Corresponding Secretary. (Titles appearing below).

Mr. Edward D. Putnam, Curator and Librarian of The Rochester Historical Society and the Municipal Museum, submits the following partial list of books on Rochester and Western New York history now in the library of the Society:

"Semi-Centennial History of the City of Rochester," by William F. Peck. (Syracuse, N. Y., 1884.)

"Landmarks of Monroe County, New York," by William F. Peck. (Boston, Mass., 1895.)

"History of Rochester and Monroe County, N. Y., from the Earliest Historical Times to the Beginning of 1907." 2 Vols. by William F. Peck. (New York and Chicago, 1908.)

"Rochester and Monroe County, New York, Pictoral and Biographical," by William F. Peck. (New York and Chicago, 1908.)

"History of the Police Department of Rochester, N. Y., from the Earliest Times to May 1, 1903," by William F. Peck. (Rochester, 1903.)

"Rochester—a Story Historical," by Jennie Marsh Parker. (Rochester, 1884.)

"Rochester and The Post Express—a History of the City of Rochester from the Earliest Times

—with a Record of The Post Express." Compiled by John Devoy. Published by The Post Express. (Rochester, N. Y., 1895.)

"The Semi-Centennial Souvenir—an Account of the Great Celebration, June 9 and 10, 1884. Together with a Chronological History of Rochester, N. Y.," by William Mill Butler and George S. Crittenden. (Rochester, 1884.)

"Early History of Rochester, 1810 to 1827 with Comparisons of Its Growth and Progress to 1860," by George W. Fisher. (Rochester, 1860.)

"Notable Men of Rochester and Vicinity—Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries." Dwight J. Stoddard, Publisher. George C. Bragdon, Editor. Henry H. Rich, Promoter. (Rochester, .)

A History of the Purchase and Settlement of Western New York," by Rev. James H. Hotchkin. (New York, 1848.)

"Pioneer History of the Holland Purchase of Western New York," by O. Turner. (Buffalo, published by Geo. H. Derby & Co., 1850.)

"History of the Pioneer Settlement of Phelps & Gorham's Purchase, and Morris' Reserve, Embracing the Counties of Monroe, Ontario, Livingston, Yates, Steuben, most of Wayne and Allegany, and Parts of Orleans, Genesee, and Wyoming. To which is added a supplement or extension of the pioneer history of the County of Monroe," by O. Turner. (Rochester, published by William Alling, 1851.) Mr. George W. Atwell says:" 'Phelps & Gorham Purchase—Monroe,' was published in September, 1851. On second page of Preface it appears that the work was to be in four parts (see Preface): Phelps & Gorham Purchase—Monroe; Phelps & Gorham Purchase—Livingston and Allegany; Phelps & Gorham, Purchase—Ontario and Yates; Phelps & Gorham Purchase—Wayne; the first 493 pages to be the same. The experience with the Monroe supplement did not justify the plan and it was abandoned. In 1852 the second (concluding) volume was issued with Supplement embracing Ontario, Wayne, Livingston, Yates and Allegany—all the other counties."

"A History of Livingston County, New York," by Lockwood L. Doty. (Geneseo, 1876.)

"History of Sullivan's Campaign Against the Iroquois," by A. Tiffany Norton. (Lima, 1879.)

"Sullivan's Expedition," Frederick Cook, Secretary of State, Compiler. (Albany, 1887.)

"Sullivan's Expedition Against the Indians," by Allen C. Beach. (1887.)

"Historical Collections of New York," by Barber & Howe. (1851.)

"Documentary History of New York," by E. B. O'Callaghan, 4 vols. (Albany, 1849.)

"History of Monroe County," by Everts, Ensign & Everts. (Philadelphia, 1877.)

"Travels in Canada and the United States in 1816 and 1817," by Lieut. Francis Hall. Pub. by Longman, Hurst, Rees, Orme & Brown, London, 1818. (Has good description of early settlers of Western New York including Rochester.)

"The Historical Writings of the Late Orsamus H. Marshall." Pubs., Joel Munsell's Sons, Albany, 1887.

City Atlas of Rochester, by G. M. Hopkins, Philadelphia, 1875. (Has names of citizens.)

Atlas of Monroe County, by F. W. Beers & Co., New York, 1872. (Has names of citizens.)

"One Hundred Years, Centennial Day Celebration, Rochester, N. Y." Compiled and edited by Charles E. Ogden and Thomas T. Swinburne, Rochester, 1912.

"Legends, Traditions and Laws of the Iroquois and History of the Tuscarora Indians," by Elias Johnson. (Lockport, 1881.)

"Indian Names of New York," by W. M. Beaucamp. Pub. Recorder office, Fayetteville, N. Y., 1893.

"A History of the New York Iroquois," by W. M. Beaucamp. Pubs. New York Education Dept., Albany, 1905.

Booklet: "In the Footprints of DeNonville," by Irving W. Coates. Pub. Ontario County Times, Canandaigua, N. Y., 1893.

Pamphlet: "Notes on the Aboriginal Terminology of the Genesee River," by George H. Harris. Read before The Rochester Historical Society, June 13, 1889.

In addition to the partial list of books above, the library of The Rochester Historical Society is particularly rich in manuscripts, scrap books, autograph letters, etc. For example: the manuscripts of George H. Harris and of Henry O'Reilly; Edward Scrantom's Diary and Scrap Book (6 volumes, from March 1, 1837, to May 25, 1879. Full of interesting Rochester history, obituaries, descriptions, etc.; in manuscript, which should be edited and published); the account book of Abelard Reynolds (first Postmaster) from 1816 to 1821; scrap book "Proceedings of Common Council, March 12, 1838, to May 11, 1841, inclusive"; History of Rochester Union Grays (Printed and in manuscript, from November, 1838, to September 21, 1841; visitors' roll book of autographs, 1840 to 1855; roll book, 1841 to 1845, inclusive); scrap book of H. H. Langworthy, Greece, 1840 (Has Rochester items, especially of elections and firemen volunteers); scrap book of Juliet Baldwin. (Has autographs, news items and obituaries, from 1837 to 1893); The Daily Demo-

crat, October 6, 1847, giving complete transactions of the Pioneer Festival, commemorating the early settlement of Rochester, with the names of fifty-six pioneers present, their ages, the places from which they emigrated, and the dates of their arrivals in Rochester; The Western Business Directory for 1842-43 (New York) covering Albany, Auburn, Batavia, Buffalo Canandaigua, Geneva, Hudson, Lockport, Lyons, Newburgh, Oswego, Palmyra, Poughkeepsie, Rochester, Schenectady, Seneca Falls, Springfield, Mass., Syracuse, Troy, Utica, Waterloo, giving classified business directory and numerous advertisements of lines of business in said places.

There are many other books, pamphlets, newspapers, and manuscripts in the library of The Rochester Historical Society of interest to the student of local history. The literature of the abolition movement, of the anti-masonic movement, of spiritualism, of mormonism, the memoirs of leading men, genealogies, etc., can only be referred to. It is impossible in the limits of a footnote to include all of this material. This note does not pretend to be complete but is inserted merely as a suggestion of the wealth of material available on the subject of the history of Western New York and Rochester.

The Twelfth Annual Report of the Department of Education of the State of New York, contains a list of books relating to the history of the State of New York, with Western New York items. This list is separately reprinted in a pamphlet issued by the University of the State of New York, State Dept. of Education, School Library Division (1916); but said list does not pretend to be complete.

Several private libraries owned by citizens of Rochester contain very interesting local items. Mr. Edward G. Miner and Mr. C. Walter Smith both have large and important collections of rare Rochester books, pamphlets and maps. There are many other valuable private collections. Special mention should be made of the collections of Mrs. Frederick W. Yates, whose press contributions on the subject of local genealogy have been notable and of permanent value.

Mr. Elmer Adler has furnished the following check list of books relating to the Genesee Country now in his private library, especially books giving accounts of early travels. Some of these books are to be found also in the library of The Rochester Historical Society. Mr. Adler calls attention to the fact that this list is necessarily incomplete on account of the space limits of a foot note:

The American Military Pocket Atlas, being an Approved Collection of Correct Maps Employed in His Majesty's Fleets and Armies. London, N. D., (about 1776).

Travels in the Interior Inhabited Parts of North America in the Years 1791 and 1792. By P. Campbell, Edinburgh, 1793.

Travels Through the States of North America and the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada During the Years 1795, 1796 and 1797. By Isaac Weld, Jr., London, 1799.

Visit to the Falls of Niagara in 1800. By John Maude, London, 1826.

A Description of the Genesee Country in the State of New York, to which is added an appendix, containing a description of the Military Lands Printed for the author, 1804.

View of the Climate and Soil of the United States of America, to which are added, etc. By C. F. Volney, London, 1804.

Travels in Some Parts of North America in the Years 1804, 1805 and 1806. By Robert Sutcliff, York, 1811.

The Portfolio, new series, by Oliver Oldschool, Esq. Vol. IV., No. 1. July, 1810.

A Ride to Niagara in 1809. By T. C.

Travels Through the United States of America in the Years 1806, 1807, 1809, 1810 and 1811. By John Melish, London, 1818.

Travels Through the Western Country in the Summer of 1816, including notices, etc. By David Thomas, Auburn, 1819.

A Tour from the City of New York to Detroit in 1818. By William Darby, New York, 1819.

Travels Through Part of the United States and Canada in 1818 and 1819. By John M. Duncan, Glasgow, 1823.

Views of Society and Manners in America in 1818, 1819 and 1820. By Frances Wright, London, 1821.

Early Reminiscences of Western New York. By James L. Barton, Buffalo, 1848.

Travels in New England and New York. By Timothy Dwight, New Haven, 1821.

Travels in North America from Modern Writers, with remarks, etc. By the Rev. William Bingley, London, 1821.

Five Years Residence in the Canadas, Including a Tour Through Part of the United States of America in the Year 1823. By Edward Allen Talbot, London, 1824.

Wanderings in South America, the North-West of the United States, etc., in the Years 1812, 1816, 1820 and 1824. By Charles Waterton, Esq., London, 1825.

Travels Through North America During the Years 1825 and 1826. By his Highness Bernhard, Duke of Saxe-Weimar Eisenach, Philadelphia, 1828.

Travels in North America in the Years 1827 and 1828. By Captain Basil Hall, Edinburgh, 1829.

Random Recollections (Rochester in 1827-1830). By Henry B. Stanton, New York, 1887.

Three Years in North America. By James Stuart, Esq., 1828-29-30, N. D., Edinburgh.

Journal of a Tour in the State of New York in the Year 1830, with remarks on Agriculture, etc. By John Fowler, London, 1831.

The Lumiere, Containing a Variety of Topographical Views in Europe and America. New York, 1831.

Six Months in America. By Godfrey T. Vigne, Esq., London, 1832.

Domestic Manners of the Americans. By Mrs. Frances Trollope, London, 1832.

The Refugee in America, (a novel, scene laid in Rochester). By Mrs. Frances Trollope, London, 1832.

Observations on Professions, Literature, Manners, and Emigration in the United States and Canada, etc., in 1832. By the Rev. Isaac Fidler, London, 1833.

The United States and Canada in 1832, 1833 and 1834. By C. D. Arfwedson, Esq., London, 1832.

A Tour Through North America, etc., in 1833. By Patrick Shirreff, Farmer, Edinburgh, 1835.

Men and Manners in America. By Capt. T. Hamilton, London, 1833.

The Stranger in America. By Francis Lieber, N. D. (about 1835), London.

A Run Through the United States During the Autumn of 1840. By Lieut. Col. A. M. Maxwell, K. H., London, 1841.

Agricultural Tour in the United States and Upper Canada (1841), with Miscellaneous Notices. By Captain Barclay, of Ury, London, 1842.

Travels in North America in the Years 1841-2. By Charles Lyell, Esq., New York, 1845.

American Memoranda by a Merchantile Man. A short tour in the summer of 1843. Glasgow, 1844.

America and the American People. By Frederick Von Raumer, New York, 1844.

Odds and Ends of Travel; or Adventures, Rambles and Recollections of a Trip from Sidney, etc., (Anon) N. D., (about 1850), London.

Lands of the Slave and the Free. By the Hon. Henry A. Murray, London, 1855.

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